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STARTLING CRICKET

WYATT KNOCKED OUT AND TWO TEST RECORDS

ENGLAND 27 FOR 4 AGAINST 535 FOR 7

Headley 270 Not Out

Kingston, To-day.

England are in a desperate position as the result of yesterday's sensational play in the fourth Test match against the West Indies. At the close of play the tourists, with six wickets in hand, required 358 to save the follow on.

Two Test records were shattered during the day, and Bob Wyatt, the England captain, was knocked out by a blow on the jaw when attempting to avoid a fast rising ball from Martindale in the first over of the tourists' innings. He was immediately rushed to hospital for an x-ray examination.

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Scores, as cable by Reuter, were:

WEST INDIES	
I. Barrow, b. Farnes	27
C. M. Christian, b. Payne	2
G. Headley, not out	270
J. E. D. Sealey, b. Paine	91
L. Constantine, b.w., b. Paine	34
J. Moodie, c. Townsend, b. Paine	5
F. Fuller, b.w., b. Hollis	1
R. Grant, c. Wyatt, b. Paine	77
H. Hylton, not out	5
Extras	22

Total (for 7 wickets dec.) ... 535
Fall of the wickets: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7
5 92 294 352 376 381 528

Bowling Analysis	
	O. M. R. W.
Smith	22 2 83 0
Farnes	24 4 72 1
Wyatt	5 1 12 0
Hollis	46 11 114 1
Holmes	8 0 40 0
Paine	56 12 168 5
Iddon	7 1 24 0

ENGLAND	
R. E. S. Wyatt, retired	1
Townsend, c. Christian, b. Martindale	11
Hammond, c. Hylton, b. Constantine	8
Paine, b.w., b. Martindale	0
E. R. T. Holmes, b. Martindale	0
Ames, not out	0
Hendren, not out	1
Extras	6

Total (for 4 wickets) ... 27
Fall of the wickets: 1 2 3 4
23 25 26 26

England won the first Test, the West Indies the second, and the third was left drawn. This present encounter is the deciding one.

LOCAL DOLLAR DECLINES

Spot Silver Drops

The local dollar has declined 1/2, opening on demand this morning at 1/11 3/4.

Spot silver, declined 1/16, being quoted at 27-5/16, while forward silver advanced 1/16, being quoted at 27 3/4.

The London on New York cross-rate was quoted at \$-U.S.44.78%, as compared with \$-U.S.44.76%, while the New York on London rate was quoted at \$-U.S.44.79%, as compared with \$-U.S.44.76%.

CHINESE PAINTER KILLED

A Chinese ship's painter was instantaneously killed yesterday afternoon when he slipped from his perch while painting the hull of the s.s. Kwong Chung, at the Kowloon Dock and fell 20 feet to the bottom of the dry-dock.



R. E. S. Wyatt

For The Home Our Birthday Supplement

WELL-KNOWN LOCAL CONTRIBUTORS

On the occasion of its nineteenth anniversary the "China Mail" announced that it would shortly add new features to its reading-matter. To-day it offers the first of these, in the form of a supplement, to the public, in the confident hope that it will enhance both the interest and the value of its pages.

The supplement, which will appear each Saturday, will deal, from every angle, with the things that matter in house and home.

Amongst those who will contribute towards its success are: Mr. A. S. Konya, whose work as an interior decorator and artist is known and esteemed throughout South Africa, and Miss Phyllis Juby, a charming writer on all matters of home interest. Both are well-known as regular contributors to the columns of the "Sunday Herald".

U.S. ADMIRAL TO PAY VISIT TO CANTON

Courtesy Call Before Retirement

AUGUSTA DUE HERE TO-DAY

(From Our Own Correspondent) Canton, To-day.

Admiral Frank B. Upham, Commander-in-Chief of the American Asiatic Fleet, who left Manila yesterday for Hong Kong, is expected in Canton on Sunday evening. He will arrive in Hong Kong this afternoon aboard the U.S.S. Augusta, his flagship.

While in Hong Kong, Admiral Upham will board his armed yacht, U.S.S. Isobel, for the continuation of his journey to Canton, via the Pearl River. The American visitor will call on various Chinese officials here on Monday and will spend Tuesday in sight-seeing. The visit will end at noon on Wednesday next, when Admiral Upham will return to Hong Kong en route to Shanghai.

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POST AGAIN THWARTED

STRATOSPHERE DASH HELD UP AT CLEVELAND

OXYGEN SUPPLY RUNS SHORT

Averages 270 m.p.h.

Cleveland, Ohio, To-day.

Wiley Post, who left Los Angeles yesterday morning in an attempt at a stratosphere flight to New York, landed here as his oxygen supply was running out.

Officials state that his speed averaged 340 miles per hour, but a later report stated that the speed was 270 m.p.h.—Reuter.

Captain Wiley Post, the one-eyed Indian flier who circled the globe in record time, was in New York on a mysterious mission on March 2.

The airman, whose effort to make a stratosphere flight from Los Angeles to New York came to grief due to engine trouble, declined to reveal the nature of his mission to newspaper men upon his arrival in New York from Los Angeles.

FOUL PLAY ALLEGED
Captain Post was, in fact, in a belligerent mood. He hinted darkly that "foul play" had brought misfortune to his first attempt to soar across the continent in record time by ascending into the upper air.

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DARING HIGHWAY ROBBERY

Pig-Breeder Beaten Unconscious

A daring highway robbery was reported at Kowloon City last night when a Chinese pig-breeder was waylaid and robbed at the South Gate of the Walled City by four men, who beat him to insensibility with short hammers and made off with his canvas belt, which contained \$44 in notes and cash.

Yun Po, 48-year-old pig-breeder of No. 68 Sai Tau Village, reports that he left his pig farm at Hok Lo Chuen at about 9.45 p.m. yesterday and proceeded home.

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THEFTS REPORTED ON TILAWA

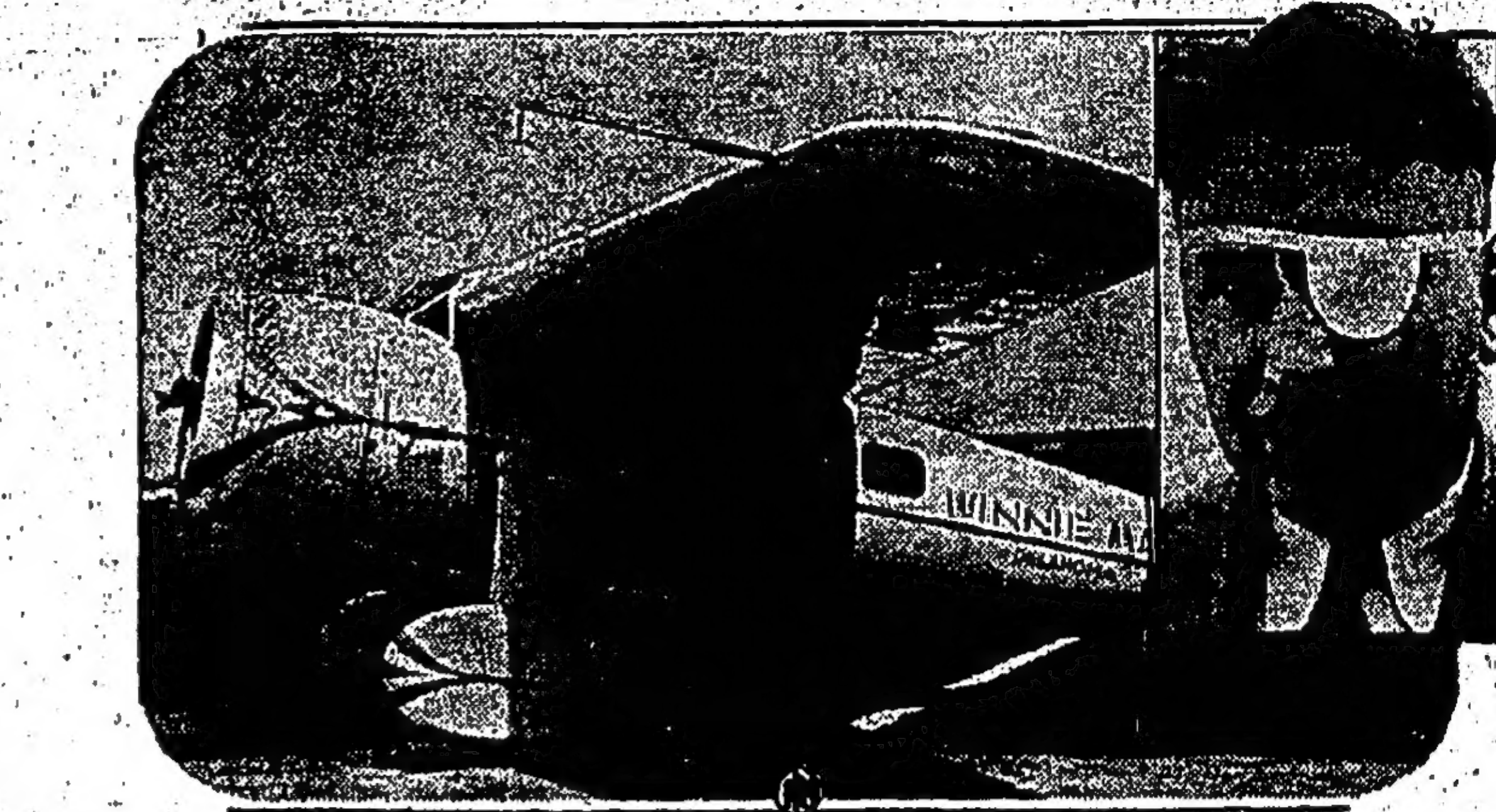
Three Officers Find Cabins Rifled

Three ship's officers of the B.I. Steam Navigation Company's vessel s.s. Tilawa are ruefully examining their pocket books and cash balances and wondering whether they will ever see the money and articles which were removed from their respective cabins yesterday at the Kowloon Wharf by culprits who obtained duplicate keys and made off with over \$110.

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MIDSHIPMAN INJURED

A tramway warning which was disregarded had serious consequences yesterday at Morrison Hill Road, when Midshipman P. K. Horsey, of H. M. S. Defender, attempted to board a moving tram-car, slipped, and fell, sustaining serious injuries to the head. He was rushed to the Royal Naval Hospital in a serious condition.



Wiley Post, the world famous American round-the-world flier and his equally famous plane, the Winnie Mae.

BALANCE OF POWER HAS PROVED A FAILURE

CONSULTATIVE SYSTEM MUST REPLACE IT—SIR J. SIMON

London, To-day.
Sir John Simon, the Foreign Secretary, speaking at Swansea last night said that the defects of the pre-war system of balance of power were burnt into their memories by the events of August, 1914.

There was nothing in that system, he said, to put in the way of the first beginnings of the avalanche. Statesmen had learnt from bitter experience that after the great war there was no such thing as victory and that everybody was the loser.

They had set themselves to create a world organisation for the express purpose of maintaining and promoting peace and the substitution of a system of consultation for a balance of power. That tremendous conception had in fact produced great results, even though it had not always succeeded.

NANKING'S VETO ON SOUTHERN ANTI-RED DRIVE

Officially Declared To Be True

COMMUNISTS MASSING FOR FRESH DRIVE

(From Our Own Correspondent) Canton, To-day.

Despite conflicting reports, it was authoritatively learned yesterday morning that the Nanking military authorities did order Kwangtung and Kwangsi divisions to cancel the Kweichow expedition on the ground that the Central forces could handle the Reds without the co-operation of the Southern troops.

Nothing is known as to whether the Kwangtung and Kwangsi troops will remain in Liuchow and Wuhshan or continue their expedition. This matter is still under negotiation between the Canton and Nanking authorities. If the Kweichow Reds are under control there will be no necessity for the southern troops to go to Kweichow.

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KWEICHOW FORCES REGAIN TSUNYI

Bandits' Defence Line Broken

Canton, To-day.

According to a military despatch from Kweichow, the Kweichow troops, in conjunction with the Central forces, recovered Tsunyi in the morning of Tuesday, which fell into the hands of the Reds on March 10.

With Tsunyi recaptured by the Government forces, the Communist bandits' defence line connecting

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ROYALTY ESCAPES

ASSASSINATION ATTEMPTED

KING OF HEJAZ AND CROWN PRINCE

London, To-day.

King Ibn Saud of the Hejaz and the Crown Prince, Emir Saud, yesterday narrowly escaped death by assassination during the early morning devotions in the great mosque of El Haram, according to a communique issued by the Hejaz Legation in London.

It is stated that Zeidis from the Yemen, armed with daggers, attacked the King and Crown Prince but were shot down by the bodyguards.—Reuter.

GOVERNOR GENERAL OF NEW ZEALAND

Tributed On Expiration Of Term Of Office

London, To-day.

The Rt. Hon. Lord Bledisloe, P.C., who left New Zealand for England yesterday after serving for five years as the Governor General, received a remarkable tribute to the popularity which he and his wife had earned.

Commenting on the high success of Lord Bledisloe's term of service, the Times refers to his expert agricultural knowledge, which proved such an asset to the farming community, but says that that alone would not have won the instinctive affection of the New Zealand people. "Even when the depression was at its worst he felt and proclaimed an unquenchable faith in the future of the Dominion, a faith shared by all who know its resources and the sturdy courage of its people.—British Wireless Service.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and warm, with coastal fog or mist at night, and moderate north-easterly and easterly winds, was the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

Government Appointments

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Dr. George Duncan Ralph Black, O.B.E., to be a member of the Medical Board for a term of three years, with effect from March 1, 1935.

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BIGGEST IN HISTORY

1,219 ARRESTED AND \$1,000,000 IN DRUGS SEIZED

SIX WOMEN CAUGHT IN WASHINGTON

Government Drive

New York, To-day.

The biggest round-up of illegal traders in liquor and narcotics in the history of the United States occurred yesterday when 1,219 persons were arrested, of whom 741 will be charged with the illicit manufacture of liquor, 247 with peddling narcotics, and 26 with counterfeiting.

Six women were arrested in Washington on charges of dealing in narcotics.

The arrested persons include whites, negroes and Chinese. Altogether \$1,000,000 worth of drugs have been seized.—Reuter.

McCARRAN AMENDMENT IS REJECTED

SENATE SAVES THE RELIEF BILL

PREPARES WAY FOR VOTE ON ADMINISTRATION COMPROMISE

Washington, To-day.

The Senate, by 50 votes to 38, yesterday rejected Senator Patrick McCarran's "prevailing wage" amendment to the Relief Bill.

It thus saved the bill and prepared the way for a vote on the Administration's compromise proposals providing that prevailing wages shall be paid only for permanent public building schemes and shall permit the payment of the "security" wage for other work, unless the private scale is thereby endangered.—Reuter.

A Reuter's message of February 22 stated that the first major defeat for the Roosevelt forces in the contest over the Relief Bill occurred when the Senate, by 44 votes to 48, supported organized labour in approving the McCarran amendment, requiring that on emergency public works "the prevailing rate of wages" shall be paid.

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LOCAL ESTATE

Late Rev. J. Maconachie Leaves \$56,600

The Rev. John Kirk Maconachie, formerly of the Union Church, Kennedy Road, who died at the Manse, No. 7 Barton Crescent, Dawlish, Devon, England, on March 2, 1934, left local estate sworn under \$56,600.

On the application of Mr. D. J. Lewis, solicitor for Katherine Hocking Maconachie, widow of the deceased, sealing of Probate of the Will was granted.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

The attention of Mariners is directed to the International Code of Signals 1921, which authorises the use of one long blast to indicate "do not pass ahead of me." The use of one long blast for any other purposes may lead to confusion and should be discontinued.

MAIL SCHEDULES

PARCEL POST

A schedule of revised parcel post rates, including many reductions, is exhibited in the Parcel Office, G.P.O. The rates will take effect as from 1st March, 1935.

Imperial Airways via Singapore
Bandoeng-Amsterdam via Singapore
Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon
Singapore-Australia

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INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE Mar.
Corfu (via Suez) " 21

FROM JAPAN Mar.
Taiyo Maru " 17
Philippines " 19
Naka Maru " 20
Santos Maru " 21
Atsuta Maru " 22
Carthage " 22
Pres. Grant " 22

FROM SHANGHAI Mar.
Taiyo Maru " 17
Carthage " 19
Pres. Grant " 22
Ixion " 22

FROM MANILA Mar.
Kamo Maru " 21
Pres. Hoover " 23

FROM U.S.A. Mar.
Pres. Grant " 22

FROM AUSTRALIA Mar.
Kamo Maru " 21

FROM STRAITS & INDIA Mar.
Kashima Maru " 18
Kamo Maru " 19
Maybach Maru " 19
Maybach Maru " 19
Soudan " 19
Tama " 19
Tashima Maru " 22

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR EUROPE Mar.
Kashima Maru (Air Mail ex
Imperial Airways) " 18
Taiyo Maru (via Siberia) " 19
Closes: Reg. 4.15 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.

Emp. of Japan (via Vancouver) " 21
Closes: Reg. 9.15 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.
Pres. Hoover (via San Francisco) " 22
Carthage (via Marseilles) " 23
Closes: Reg. 9.45 a.m. Ord. 10.30 a.m.

FOR SHANGHAI Mar.
Kashima Maru " 18
Taiyo Maru " 19
Emp. of Japan " 21
Pres. Hoover " 22

FOR JAPAN Mar.
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The Woman's Page

The Streamlined Face Of 1935

Harmony Is The Dominant Cosmetic Note

Slender, rather pale cheeks, instead of two rosy curves, thin, elegant eyebrows, well-defined, firmly cut lips, long, arched lashes, that is the appearance which women are gradually achieving, and will achieve even more this year.

Beauty experts have called in famous sculptors to model for them what they consider to be the ideal face for the year.

Streamlined is the verdict, and from that the beauty experts will help their clients to attain this new fashion.

After examining the models of those sculptors, one realizes that, it's quite possible, without resorting to plastic surgery either, to follow their ideals.

An Up-To-Date Face

You can make your face fashionable, without taking away your individuality, by beauty treatment and by correct make-up.

The first rule, according to the Parisian specialists, is that features must harmonize, harmony being just as essential in an attractive face as in music.

If nature, for example, has started you off with a small, mischievous, snub nose then it is no use adopting Dietrich eyebrows and Dolores del Rio hair with a Kay Francis smile. The results won't fit.

But should your nose be slenderly modelled, and your eyes well placed, then train your eyebrows to an angle—careful plucking and brushing will do that—be very restrained over rouge, choose a fairly vivid lipstick and wear your hair well swept back; off the forehead, in restrained waves or disciplined curls.

With round eyes and a round face, eyebrows, too, should be curved, rouge should be stronger, lipstick less vivid and hair worn very softly dressed.

Blondes, say the specialists, should have blue eyes, so don't "go platinum" if you are born brunette. It isn't in harmony.

Eyelashes are to be longer, so indulge in a good lash-growing cream, or persevere with olive or castor oil, brushed on nightly.

Add a tiny smear of olive oil, or a soft cold cream, to your eyelids always after powdering, for it will give them a heavy "mysterious" look, fashionable for 1935.

Helping The Lashes

Here is another hint, too. Put the oil or cream on your lashes as well, before you use any darkening cosmetic on them.

It will make the mascara go on much more easily and prevent the lashes looking hard or stiff.

Always brush them up, with an old toothbrush or a special one for lashes.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given above unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

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the purpose and, when they are long, try an eyelash curler, for special occasions, to achieve the "correct arch."

Very rosy cheeks are no longer smart, so rouge must be restrained. This demands a good, naturally-smooth skin.

Olive oil makes an excellent base and skin food—it's not new because it was popular with the "lovelies" of Greece and Egypt, who cherished their complexions as carefully as we do—and it's an excellent remedy for skins roughened by winds and rain.

I've just been sampling a whole range of beauty products made with a base of olive oil, from a soft liquefying cleansing cream, which works wonders after a fog, to a powder which really does cling.

LONG SKIRTS.

The Art Of Holding Them

DRESSES of greater length carry one back to the time when one at least of every female pair of hands was occupied in holding up skirts. Bags, of course, were more, or less non-existent, except when possessed by Aunts Matilda, but on a wet day when umbrellas were essential, or on shopping occasions, the possession of only one whole hand to deal with the situation required some ingenuity. Even with the ankle-length skirts of to-day mud manage to make itself felt, and it is possible to get extremely wet and muddy ankles while the springs and rivers are making up for dry summer.

The Way To Hold Them

Most women have not the faintest notion how to hold up skirts gracefully. Absence of petticoats would formerly have been held ridiculous, and the old method was to have an extremely noisy silk petticoat with plenty of frills to make a "frou-frou." But absence of petticoats actually makes things easier, if only with regard to weight. Also, underthings are neat and taut, and dangers which beset a former generation do not now occur. With the fuller skirts the old Parisian method can still be well adopted. Parisians used to take pride in gathering up their skirts on either hand, lifting them a few inches, and then gathering them up in front with one hand. Thus they balanced skirts, an umbrella, and often a large hat with veil and pins. Where skirts are held up from one side they should also be given this little life before being gathered up, as this keeps them far cleaner and prevents them from looking dragged round the figure.

In sitting down, skirts were given a swirl which was considered smart, and "young ladies" and old eat with the swirl to one side of them in what now would seem a stiff position. But, stiffness or not, the present skirts could be improved upon vastly as far as their management is concerned.

SMART CRUISE JEWELLERY

Hermes has created some smart cruise jewellery consisting of a choker and bracelets made of gold discs set in leather frames. He shows a practical boxelf bag with handles that snap down into clasps, transforming it into an envelope for the afternoon.



Something new under the sun: a tree bark crepe frock in Chinese green worn by June Knight, screen actress. The wide shoulder straps are held in place by jewelled ornaments.

WINTER BEAUTY

Be careful at all times not to over-eat. The common fallacy that one should eat more in the winter than in the warmer months of the year is pure nonsense; gorging is never wise, and can lead to bodily harm. The general assumption, too, that one should starve a fever and stuff a cold is downright nonsense. If you clog the system with food during a period when you are suffering from a common cold, the chances are that it will remain with you two or three days longer than if you had eaten intelligently and moderately. At such a time one should get more rest, drink plenty of water, keep in the fresh air as much as possible, and eat very lightly. In all cases where a cold does not respond to this simple treatment, consult your physician. A simple cold may easily become a serious one if permitted to linger.

THE ROYAL FABRIC

The Collar Of Tudor Inspiration

The Royal fabric, velvet, will hold its own among Jubilee Year fashions. The short black velvet coat is smart for spring wear over a dark skirt and "dressy" blouse. The collar, of Tudor inspiration, is stitched to match cuffs and pockets. A diamante buckle and neckline in place.

CAROLINE PAIGE IN COLONY

Cosmetic And Perfume Addition To Aurelia's

MISS ANGELA TO AID IN BEAUTY CULTURE

A news item of particular interest to the women of the Colony is the addition of cosmetics and perfumes by Caroline Paige, who has taken over a section of the Aurelia shop, in Des Voeux Road, beginning April 1.

The section will be exclusively devoted to the marketing of the most up-to-date American and French beauty aids, cosmetics, manicuring necessities etc., also novelties favoured by the fashion leaders of the world that have never before been obtainable anywhere in the Orient.

We are certain that this shop will meet a long felt need, as every woman in Hong Kong can now have expert advice without the slightest obligation concerning not only the proper selection of cosmetic shades for her particular type, but also a free analysis of the skin and its requirements.

You will also be surprised at the range of prices you will have to choose from, and you will now be able to secure the finest American cosmetics and beauty aids at prices that will fit even the most modest budget.

Licensed Graduate Operator

A special feature of further interest is that Caroline Paige has secured, for a limited time only, the assistance of Miss Angela, who is a licensed graduate operator of beauty culture from the Nairmont Hotel, San Francisco, and who has also been connected with the New York shop of Elizabeth Arden and Dorothy Gray. Miss Angela will give demonstrations and facials absolutely free of charge and will also give advice as to the selection of the correct shades of cosmetics to suit each individual type.

We urge you to take advantage of this offer and call in at the Caroline Paige shop to see for yourself how easy it is nowadays to secure that "just right" making, and to take the opportunity of being given a free facial and expert advice by an expert.

GARLIC TO WARD OFF A BEGINNING COLD

Garlic is a capital intestinal disinfectant. Eat it whenever you can.

To ward off a beginning cold: Gargle with hot water for a minute or two every fifteen to twenty minutes and immerse the hands and arms—feet also if chilled—in hot water until reddened.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

PLEDGE LESSER
O ROOM IRAN E
RAIN PIN WAIN
TIS TIRE PTC
ED FRI R NW
RETIRE LEADS
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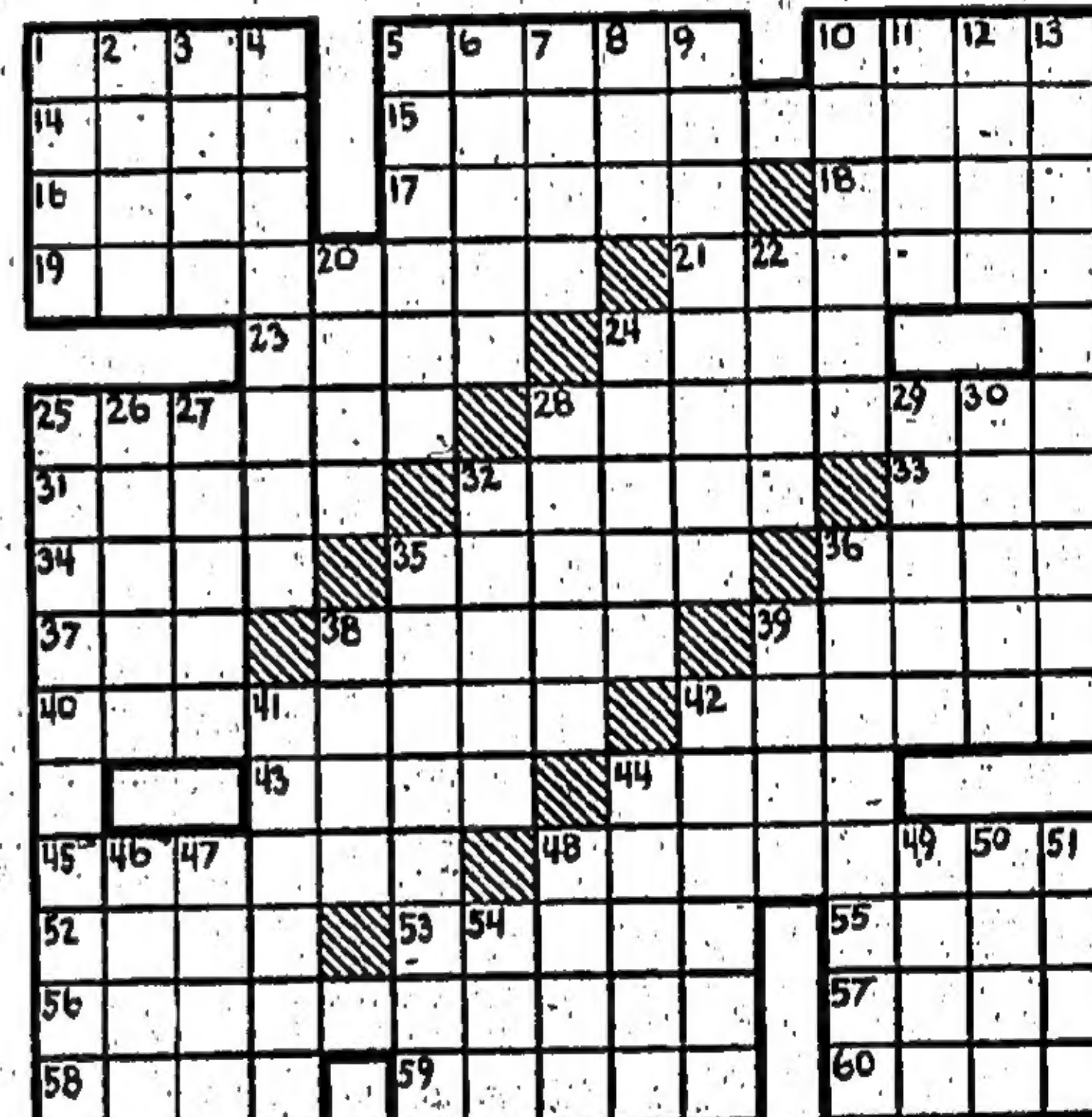
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

1—Allow for temporary use
6—Myth
10—A Scandinavian myth
14—Large lake
18—Instruments for measuring air
19—An insect (pl.)
17—Place of thin rock
16—Greek god of love
18—Was indignant at
21—Quiet
23—Long grass stems
24—To turn or twist out of shape
25—Decayed
28—Eases
31—Made a mistake
32—Sandy wastes
33—A tree
34—A grating of bars
35—East and West India
36—A bearing (Her.)
37—Year
38—Jeer
39—Ascended
40—Perfumes
42—To yield
43—Etruscan household gods

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

44—Enclosures
45—A regular streak
46—Cancelling
52—Angered
53—Sharp
55—Opinion
56—Sweetheart
57—A model
58—A freshwater tortoise
59—Act
60—Plum-like fruit

VERTICAL (Cont.)

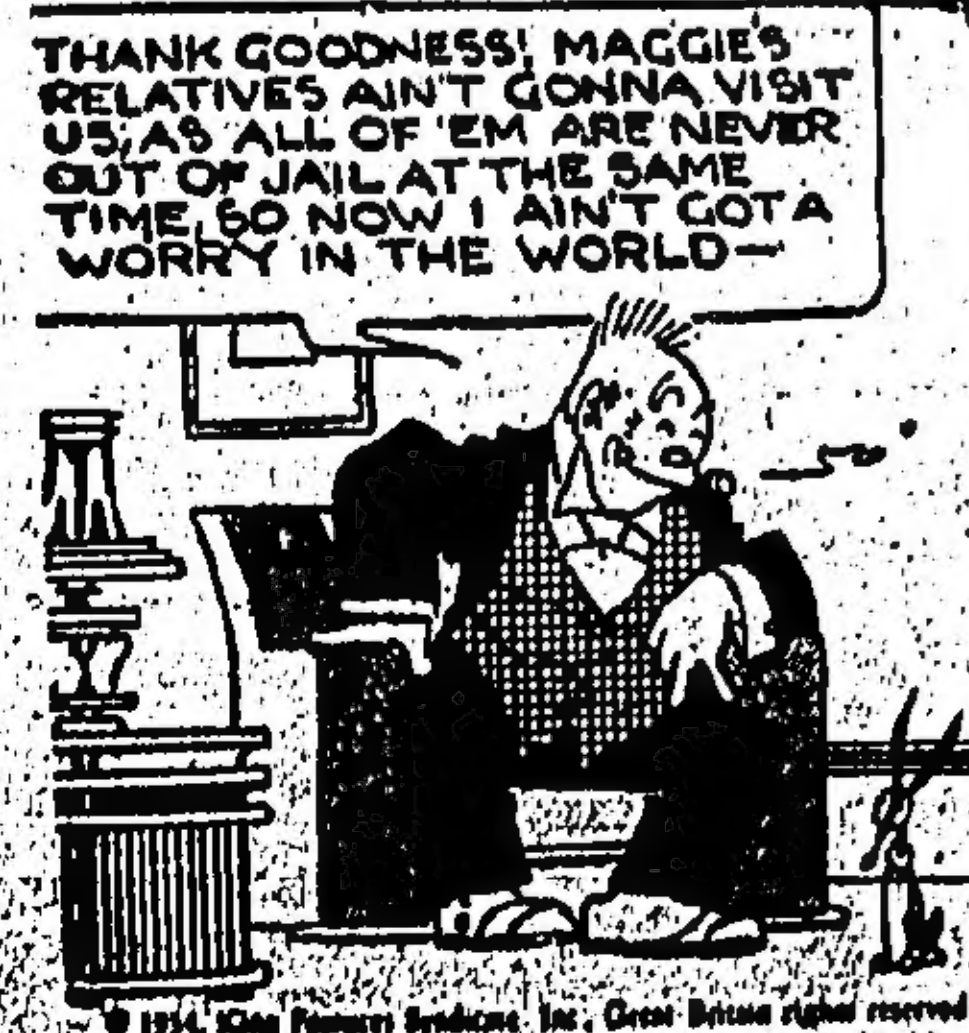
13—Amount, as of taxes
20—Want
22—Greek goddess of discord
24—Lake in S. W. Sweden
25—Passing back
26—A scented root
27—Journays
28—Raids (Scot.)
29—Poetry
30—Girl's name
32—Dirks (Scot.)
35—Not created
36—Cloth made waterproof with drying oil (pl.)
38—Break suddenly
39—City of Nevada
41—Omitted
42—To relevant
44—Man's name
46—English street car
47—Depend
48—Any of the characters of a primitive Teutonic alphabet (Rus.)
50—An emperor of Rome
51—Sport
54—One hundred nine (Rom.)

VERTICAL

1—Shakespearean king
2—Eagle
3—Insect eggs
4—A meadow
5—Close
6—Troubled
7—Small, slender nail
8—Portion
9—A gem (pl.)
10—Plain devoid of trees
11—Combining form. Air
12—Old silver coin of England

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in Monday's issue.

Bringing Up Father



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COMPANY MEETINGS

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT AND LAND INVESTMENT CO. LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th Floor, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of March 1935, at 12 o'clock noon to receive the Directors' Report, and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1934, to elect Auditors and Directors and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting of the Company.

And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Transfer books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 20th day of March 1935, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO,
Managing Director.
Hong Kong, 6th March, 1935.

THE HONG KONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the Office of the Company, 2 Queen's Building, Hong Kong, on MONDAY, 25th March, 1935, at Noon, for consideration of the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1934.

The SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 18th to 25th March, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
E. COCK,
Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 12th March, 1935.

THE HONG KONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SIXTY-SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on FRIDAY, the 29th March 1935, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1934.

The SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 29th March, 1935, both days inclusive.

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The Hong Kong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
Hong Kong, 8th March, 1935.

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GENERAL NOTICES

HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

NOTICE.

FIRING from the Battery at FAK SHA WAN will take place on SUNDAY, 17th March, 1935 from 10.00 A.M. to 11.15 A.M. in the direction of Junk Bay. All craft are advised to keep clear of Junk Bay during this period.

LADY MARIA CHRISTINE CHATER DECEASED.

ALL CLAIMS against the Estate of the above named deceased must be sent to the undersigned forthwith.

DEACONS,

Solicitors, etc.,
1, Des Voeux Rd. C., Hong Kong.
March 13th, 1935.

KING'S SILVER JUBILEE

Dollar Collection Fund

Managers of business firms and others who have employees are informed that special collection boxes for the Jubilee \$1 Collection are now available at 6 Ning Yuen Terrace, temporary headquarters of the St. John Ambulance Brigade; telephone No. 26236.

The boxes can be obtained from Mr. A. Morris, at the address mentioned above, or from Mr. S. F. Balfour, of the Colonial Secretariat.

The Collection is to begin on April 1, between which date and May 1 the boxes should be circulated; when filled, they should be sent to the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, which has kindly undertaken to receive same.

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Here is a staff artist's impression of Shirley Temple, the extraordinary child star of Fox Film's "Bright Eyes." In her latest picture, Shirley is the mascot of an airport, and her bright eyes are the beacon lights to every pilot on the field.

BRIDGE NOTES

WHEN CHARITY IS WISE

by Ely Culbertson.

Among the many plays designed to prevent one's opponents from making full use of their entries a great majority are the conventional entry-killing plays, which remove high cards from an opponent's hand before the right to lead is important to him. The timing of the play at Contract Bridge is such that very often an entry is not valuable to one opponent early in the hand, whereas after several rounds he could use an entry to great advantage—either because a suit he holds has by this time become established, or because his partner is now able to ruff another suit, or for a variety of other reasons.

Most players are familiar with the means by which high cards are removed from the opponents' hands before they become dangerous, but there are other cases in which it is impossible to strip the opponents of high cards, so that other means must be taken to cut their lines of communication.

In the following beautiful hand the declarer is forced to anticipate by several moves a brilliant line of defence which is planned against him; he must foresee the fact that the success of this defence depends on the existence of an entry card in the hand of one adversary, and finally, by a counter move, he must cut off all chance of his opponents' transferring the lead to the only hand which could make the play defeat him.

The rarity of declarers who are able to rise to such a situation is indicated by the fact that when a hand like this was submitted recently to half a dozen of the best known experts not one of them was able to find the correct technique.

In the Culbertson system of play the general principle underlying this hand has given birth to an entire group of similar entry-killing plays, of which is given below, is still one of the most interesting.

South, Dealer
East and West vulnerable

North:—
S—6 4 2
H—4 2
D—9 6 5 2
C—A K J 7

West:—
S—9
H—K J 9 8 7 5 3
D—8 9
C—9 6 2

East:—
S—A J 10
H—A Q 6
D—A Q J 10 4
C—8 3

South:—
S—K Q 8 7 5 3
H—10
D—K 7
C—Q 10 5 4

The bidding:
South West North East
Pass Pass 1D.
1S. 2H. 2S. 4H.
4S. Pass Pass Dbl.
Pass Pass Pass

In the bidding North and South wisely choose to sacrifice, being confident that they cannot be heavily set, and seeing no hope of defeating a vulnerable game. The final contract is four spades doubled, against which West opens the diamond eight. This is won by East's Ace and the Queen returned, which falls to South's King. A club is now played to the King and a small spade led, on which East properly plays the ten, South win.

SIAM'S PROTEST TO CHINA

Question Of Schools Not Replied To

No formal reply has as yet been received by the Chinese Government to the protest made to the Siamese Government through the Siamese Minister in Tokyo regarding the restrictions of the number of Chinese schools in Siam as from April 1. It is stated that the Siamese authorities are to close down all the Chinese schools and force Chinese residents to send their children to Siamese institutions. The Chinese Government is to lodge another protest.

ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY

Malayan Government's Support

The Governments of the Straits Settlements and Federated Malay States have resumed their financial support of the Malayan branch of the Royal Asiatic Society. In the case of the F.M.S., (states the Society's annual report) the grant is \$500 for three years. The S.S. agreed to provide a similar sum, initially for two years. The membership roll of the Society at the end of the year included 567 names compared with 597 at the end of 1933.

100-YEAR-OLD BRIDEGROOM

Mujo Suljkanovitch, of Zvornika, Belgrade, has celebrated his 100th birthday by getting married—for the fourth time.

His bride is a 60-year-old widow. As a boy he went to school with her mother!

South is now too wise to think that the two remaining spades will break. East's double was more than likely based upon the A J 10 of trumps and it seems necessary to return to Dummy and lead through the Ace again. But as the hand was originally played, South was aware that East, a very brilliant player who ranks among the country's finest, would win with his spade Ace and put his partner in with a heart to return a club. East could ruff the club and thus defeat the contract.

A wise South must foresee this possibility. He must realise that East, having bid diamonds, supported hearts and doubled spades, can hold at most two clubs. It is suicidal therefore to allow West to get the lead after East's last club is gone. But a simple solution to this difficulty is to allow West to lead before East is in a position to ruff clubs. South's next play is therefore his singleton heart!

West can win this trick, but the lead does him no whit of good. He can return a club in the hope that East had a singleton, but this is won in Dummy and East must follow, whereupon a spade is led. East puts up the Ace, and now when he leads a small heart South ruffs and captures the Jack of spades with his King before there is any danger of its winning a trick.

By means of this play South succeeds in losing only one spade, one heart and one diamond, and the contract of four spades, which was intended as a sacrifice, instead proves to be good for a doubled bet. Robert Cavanaugh, Grant Kent Taylor, young handsome Mitchell and Gordon Westcott, member of Laughton's band.

Amusements

Cinema Notes

"BRIGHT EYES"—KING'S THEATRE

Shirley Temple, the wonder child star, again shines in her latest starring vehicle in Fox's "Bright Eyes." She is uncannily clever, but remains winsome, childish, and charming.

There is the new 8-year-old Jane Withers, who gives a whirlwind performance as the villainess in Shirley's life, the spoiled daughter of the household where Shirley's mother is a maid.

Lois Wilson makes a sympathetic and understanding mother, and Shirley is glad to have her favorite leading man, Jimmie Dunn, as her aviator pal, who befriends her when her father is killed in the service.

The story tugs at your heart-strings and there is the usual quota of smiles, tears, and even a little thrill when our lovely heroine descends in a parachute from the disabled aeroplane.

"CLEOPATRA"—ALHAMBRA AND CENTRAL THEATRES

The story of the life and love of Egypt's most famous Queen, Cleopatra, furnished the romantic theme for Cecil B. De Mille's latest photographic triumph, entitled "Cleopatra," which is being shown simultaneously at the Alhambra and Central Theatres.

De Mille's "Cleopatra" is a heart-touching romance of the Siren of the Nile and Mark Antony, most gallant of all Romans. Set against a background of unparalleled splendour, with Rome and Egypt shown in all their beauty and power, the world's greatest love story is unfolded.

The film has a splendid supporting cast, including Ian Keith, Joseph Schildkraut, C. Aubrey Smith, Gertrude Michael, Irving Pichel, Claudia Dell, Edwin Maxwell and Harry Beresford.

It is interesting to note that there are several old-time stars appearing in this film. Ten or fifteen years ago they could have filled any theatre to capacity and their combined salaries would have reached beyond the million mark. Foremost among them are William Farnum, Bryant Washburn, Mary MacLaren, Jack Mulhall and Robert Warwick.

"A WICKED WOMAN"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

Mady Christians, the beautiful Viennese stage and screen star, is featured in her first American picture, M. G. M.'s "A Wicked Woman."

The picture, a dramatic characterisation of a woman's soul shows the glamorous star of "The Waltz Dream" as a modern American woman, struggling to protect her loved ones, while she confines herself in the shadow of a fearful past. Based on the story by Anne Austin, it gives Miss Christians a role that covers every human emotion. Comedy interludes are woven into the amazing dramatic plot and there is also a sensational-lumina release, now showing at the Star Theatre.

Jean Parker is engaging and still powerfully dramatic as the wayward daughter, and William Henry injects both comedy and drama as the youthful reporter-tycoon, extends the utmost in luxury performance as the newspaper editor, choose—and why? For who becomes the heroine's S. K. Lauren wrote the original story, which was adapted to the screen by Jo Swerling, ace Columbia scenarist. David Burton, who recently made "Let's Fall in Love," Betty Jane Graham, Jackie Searle and George Billings.

"CONVENTION CITY"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

"Convention City," the first National picture, now at the Paramount's current offering, Oriental Theatre, is a lively satire "Jungle Trap," featuring Charles on the doings of business men at Laughton, Carole Lombard and a convention with their wives, a Charles Bickford.

The film centres around a lone long way off. They get into more love tangles than they can get out white woman who seeks a livelihood. Amazing results occur when hood by plunging into the jungle. Covered by Laughton, course overlord of the natives, the scene.

A large and talented cast of star players are in the picture, which is his home and trading headed by Joan Blondell as a post-per vamp who gets every one into trouble. (Adolphe Menjou, Mary Astor, Dick Powell, Guy in the rendezvous of a broken ruler, nevertheless, fights with all his womanly instincts to redeem Mitchell and Gordon Westcott, member of Laughton's band.



James Dunn and Shirley Temple are again together in "Bright Eyes," which is showing at the King's Theatre to-day.

TESTING ELECTRIC LIGHT BULBS

'Electric Eye' Theory Employed

The theory of the "electric eye," employed by astronomers to measure the distances between planets, has found a new and useful application in University of Wisconsin laboratories in testing efficiency of electrical merchandise.

The University Standards laboratory has undertaken a specific study into merits of light bulbs, electric wiring, neon signs, water heaters and other products. Tests were made to ascertain whether or not the consumer in the end pays more for a cheap light bulb than for a more expensive type.

The photo-electric cell is utilized in the process to measure the light units, or lumens, given by each bulb. A perfect light bulb under the laboratory's standard, yields 650 lumens a watt of power consumed.

Many of those tested, the scientists reported, gave only 7 to 12 lumens a watt, the remaining energy having been converted into wasted heat and invisible ultra-violet rays.

MYSTERIOUS NOISE OVER PHONE

Police Discover Pup Eating Wire

A New York telephone operator's switchboard flashed mysteriously at three o'clock in the morning. Strange sounds came over the wire. The operator, alarmed, summoned the police. Seven radio cabs and 14 policemen dashed to the Koppelman home in Carrollton, from which the call had come.

Inside the house they found Trix, a bull-mastiff puppy, innocently chewing the telephone wire. He had pulled off the receiver and called the exchange.

"SISTERS UNDER THE SKIN"—STAR THEATRE

Love versus luxury is the dilemma that confronts Ellsandra Land in "Sisters Under the Skin," a Co-lumbia release, now showing at the Star Theatre.

Joseph Schildkraut, as a young and tempestuous composer, offers Cavatina (Kaff. Op. 85) Melody in F (Robinson) My Sweetheart when a Boy (Morgan, arr. Willoughby) Silver Threads among the Gold (Danks, arr. Willoughby) Andante in B (Baltus) Andantino (Song of the Soul) (Lemare)

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12 midnight.—Close Down. Notes: There will be a Relay from the Po Hing Theatre on Z.B.K. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles from 8.11 p.m.

THE SUPREME OPTIMIST

A Worcestershire man who has two houses, investments worth £3,160, and £226 a year applied for an old-age pension. It was refused.

One case of small-pox, two cases of typhoid fever, and one case of meningitis were reported in the Colony during the 24 hours ended March 14.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcasted to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.R.W. on a wave length of 355 metres. (845 K.C.S.).

DANCE MUSIC FROM HONG KONG HOTEL

Recorded Programme 12.30-2.15 p.m.—European Programme. 12.30 p.m.—London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations. 12.35-1 p.m.—Recorded Music. 1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music. 1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Press News, etc. 2.15 p.m.—Close Down. 4-7 p.m.—Chinese Recorded Music. 7 p.m.—12 midnight.—European Programme.

7-7.30 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music. Dance Slave ("La Roi Maltre Lui") (Chabrier) Marche Joyeuse (Chabrier) Tchaikowsky in Vienna (arr. Walter) Kiss me again (Victor Herbert) Echoes from the Puesta (Ferraris) The Canaria (Canna)

7.30-7.43 p.m.—Four Violin Solos by Fritz Kreisler. 1. Polichinelle Serenade (Kreisler) 2. Dance of the Marionettes (Winterhills) 3. Jota (de Falla) 4. Serranade Espagnol (Spanish Serenade) (Glazounov, arr. Kreisler)

7.43-8 p.m.—Band Music. Parade of the Elephants (Chenette) Dance of the Tambours ("Snow Maiden") (Rimsky-Korsakov, arr. O'Donnell)

Northern and Southern Memories (arr. Debroy Somers) 8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report. 8.03-8.50 p.m.—Variety. Piano Solos Say it with music—Medley (Rale da Costa)

Songs: Beautiful Garden of Roses Thora ... Charles Kulman (Tenor) Organ Solos: Love in Bloom I Hate myself ... Sidney Torch. Humorous: The Council Schools are good enough for me Norman Long (Entertainer at the Piano)

Violin Solo—Grinning Albert Sandler. Vocal: You oughta be in Pictures Derickson and Brown. Piano Duets: Mr. Whittington—Who do you think you are? Mr. Whittington—What a pleasant surprise

Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green. 8.50-9.10 p.m.—The J. H. Squire Celeste Oetel. Cavatina (Kaff. Op. 85) Melody in F (Robinson) My Sweetheart when a Boy (Morgan, arr. Willoughby) Silver Threads among the Gold (Danks, arr. Willoughby) Andante in B (Baltus) Andantino (Song of the Soul) (Lemare)

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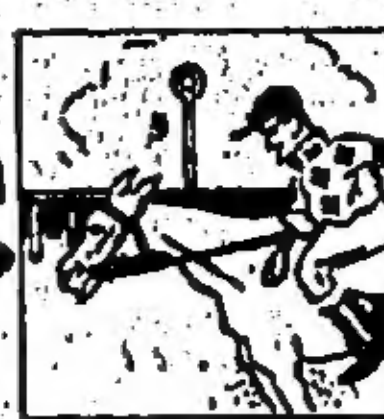
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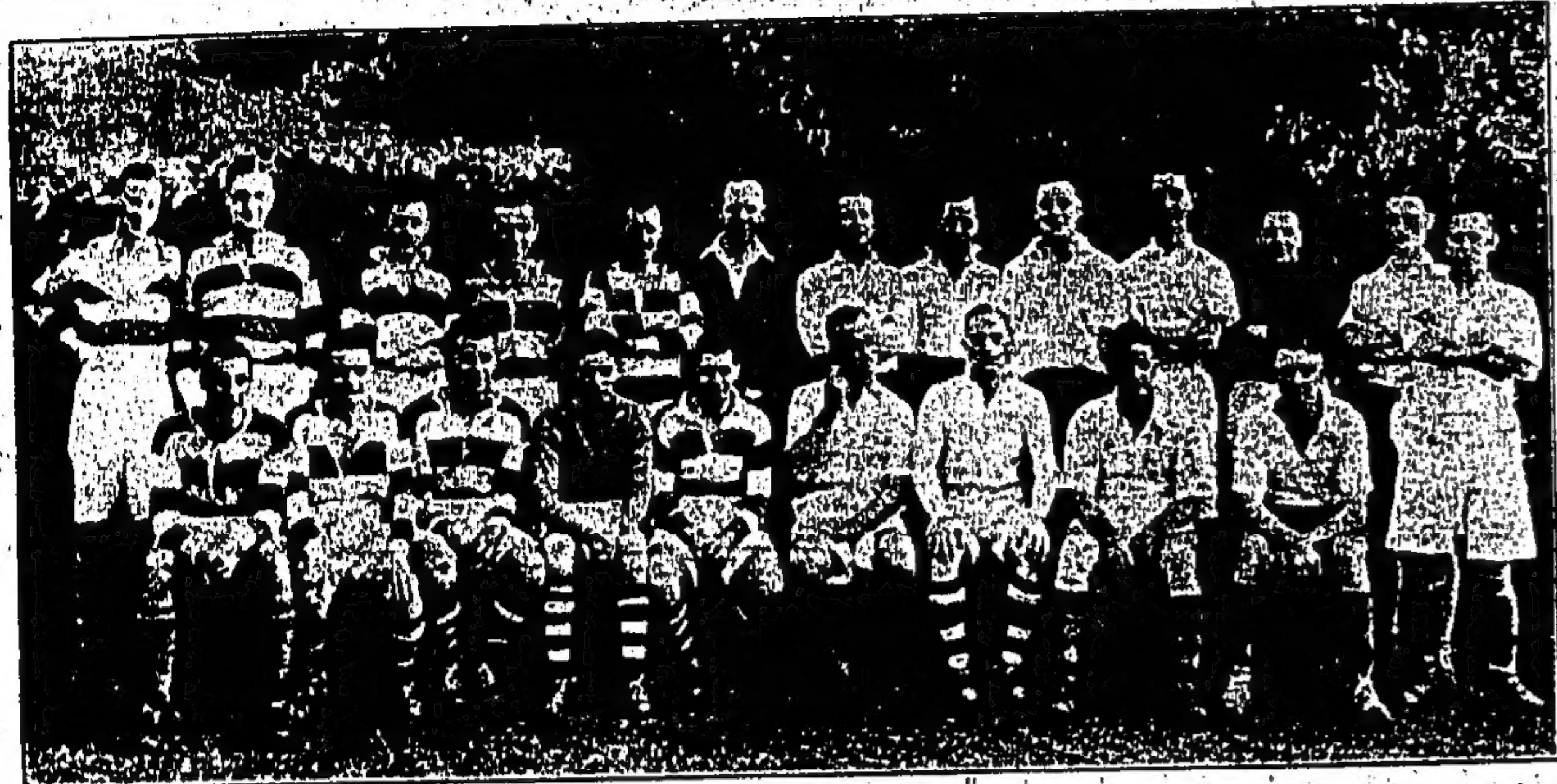
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Sporting Page



ENGLAND MUST BEAT SCOTLAND IN CALCUTTA CUP TO-DAY



Dodwell's, whites, beat Jardine's by an odd goal in their friendly inter-club soccer match on Wednesday. (King's Studio).

ATHLETIC AND CLUB FAVOURED

SENIOR SHIELD SEMI-FINAL GAMES

KOWLOON MAY SHOCK THE FUSILIERS

THE scene of many of the Club's most sensational victories, including the decisive defeat of South China "A" a fortnight ago, Caroline Hill will this afternoon witness a titanic struggle between the Police and the Club in the semi-final of the Senior Shield, while at 2.30 p.m., the Navy, holders of the Junior Shield, clash with the Royal Engineers who won by 3 goals to 1 last week in the Second Division.

To-morrow afternoon the Athletic, favourites for this year's Senior Shield title, will battle with South China "B." This clash is likely to produce the best football for both teams are very fast and play good football.

FINCHER AND MANNERS SHOULD REACH FINAL

In Brothers Recover Well After Losing First Set

LEE "PLAYS BALL" WITH SHUTE

Teddy Fincher, the K.C.C. champion, and Capt. Errol Manners, probably the Navy's best player, are likely to make their presence felt in the Colony's Lawn Tennis Doubles Championship, which has been won for the last 10 years by the Rumjahn cousins.

Yesterday they did as they liked with F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang, a very promising Chinese R. C. partnership, to enter the Semi-Final Round. They are almost certain to reach the Final, which would be the K.C.C. player's fourth in succession.

Kept on the base-line for long periods, the Chinese pair were never given a chance to be in a challenging position. They were swept off their feet in the first set, despite Liang's steadiness, and secured their four games in the second set owing to a bad lapse on the part of Manners, who was attempting to force the pace.

In Brothers Recover

The In brothers could do nothing right in their first set against Wong Fuk Nam and Ho Hin Kwan, but once they had settled down a sustained net attack saw them take the next two sets for the loss of only three games. The tall left hander was again the more aggressive of the two, and his fine volleying was mainly responsible for their win.

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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

OPEN SINGLES (2nd Round).
Y. W. Lee beat W. C. Shute 5-3, 6-4.
OPEN DOUBLES (3rd Round).
E. C. Fincher and Capt. E. Manners, R.N. beat F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang 6-1, 8-4.
OPEN DOUBLES (2nd Round).
In Tak-chek and In Tak-lam beat Wong Fuk-nam and Ho Hin Kwan 5-3, 6-4, 6-2.

ROVER'S FORECAST

The following is Rover's forecast of the week-end soccer programme, giving the favoured team in capitals:

To-day

CLUB v Police (Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)
Referee J. E. White, linesmen S. M. Chapman and Ng Kwai-chuen.
JUNIOR SHIELD
Navy v R. Engineers (Caroline Hill, 2.30 p.m.)
Referee J. H. Lawrence, linesmen Ip Kau-koo and Ng Kam-chuen.

FIRST DIVISION
Kowloon v Fusiliers (Kowloon, 4.30 p.m.)
SECOND DIVISION
Eastern v University (Causeway Bay, 3.00 p.m.)
Kowloon v Athletic (Kowloon, 3.00 p.m.)
THIRD DIVISION
R. Engineers v Police (Sookunpoo, 3.00 p.m.)

To-morrow

SENIOR SHIELD
South China "B" v Athletic (Sookunpoo, 4.15 p.m.)
Referee Shookbrook, linesmen E. G. Isley and C. J. Malton.
JUNIOR SHIELD
South China v East Lancs (Sookunpoo, 2.30 p.m.)
Referee H. H. Heath, linesmen P. Archer and H. H. Huntley.

FIRST DIVISION
Lincoln v Navy (Happy Valley, 4.30 p.m.)
SECOND DIVISION
Navy v Fusiliers (Causeway Bay, 3.00 p.m.)
THIRD DIVISION
Fusiliers v R.A.M.C.

WAH TAI COLLEGE ATHLETICS

Victor Ludorum For Hang Hock-shan

AU CHI-KUUNG JUNIOR CHAMPION

Hang Hock-shan yesterday won the Senior Victor Ludorum at the third annual athletic meeting of the Wah Tai College, which was held before a very large gathering of spectators on the South China Athletic Association's ground at Caroline Hill.

He established a new record in the Senior Long Jump, clearing 18 feet 4 inches, and won two other first places and several places. Au Chi-kuung won the Junior Championship, totalling 16 points.

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Next Week's Lawn Tennis

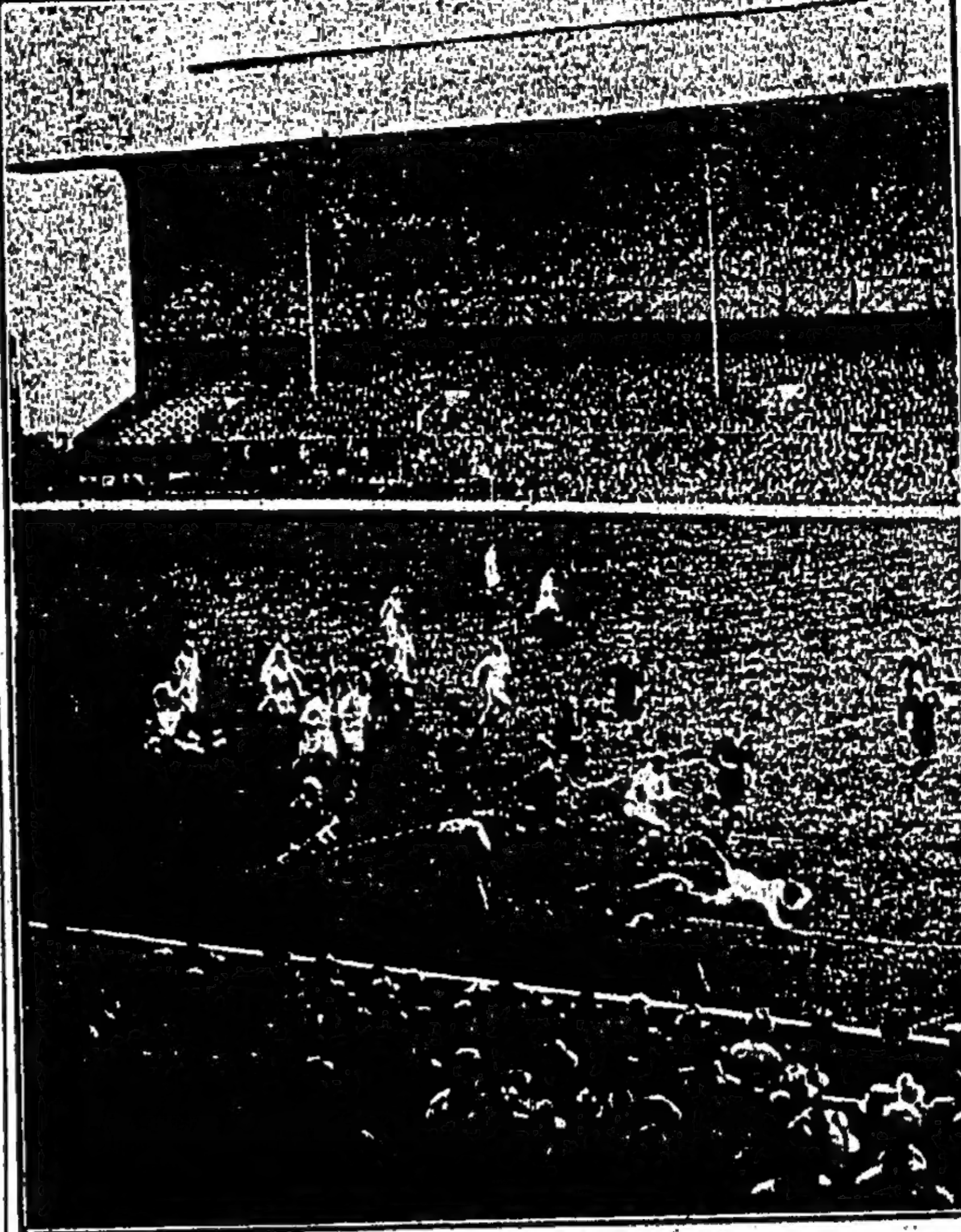
The following is next week's Lawn Tennis programme:

MONDAY

Open Singles
E. C. Fincher v A. Crawford.
Ho Ka Lau v T. A. Pearce.
D. M. MacDougall v J. W. Leonard.
H. D. Bunjahn v In Tak Cheuk.
Club Championships
E. L. R. Shute v J. B. Haigh.
P. H. Scoones v T. C. Monaghan.
Handicap Singles
Capt. Huggill (-2/6) v L. Foster (-3/6).

TUESDAY

Open Singles
K. L. Shute v Lee Wai Tong.
Open Doubles
M. W. Lo and M. K. Lo v T. Kwok and Lok Ding-cheng.
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A scene from last season's Calcutta Cup duel at Twickenham, which the English fifteen won by 6 points to 3.

DECIDING CLASH FOR CAER CLARK CUP

ST. ANDREW'S STRONG BID FOR HONOURS

(By "STICKS")

TREMENDOUS interest is likely to be shown at King's Park this afternoon when Mrs. White (Miss M. Woolley) and her forwards will attempt to break through the stolid defence of the Hong Kong Ladies to give the St. Andrew's Ladies their first championship success in the history of the Caer Clark Cup hockey series, the 1934-5 season of which concludes with to-day's play-off for the title.

TO-MORROW'S INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY TRIAL

ENGLAND TO MEET IRELAND

WELL BALANCED SIDES FOR SHUMSHUPO

The final English International hockey trial will take place to-morrow morning on the East Lancashire Regiment's ground at Shumshupo when the Probable eleven will meet a Probable Irish eleven, commencing at 10.15 a.m.

The Irish team is fairly strong, and includes such well-known hockey personalities as Mr. Lt. Lancelles, of H.M.S. Hermes, who, it is hoped, will play for them if his duties do not interfere. Lt. Ravenhill and Lt. Pearse, of the H.K.S.R.A., and Lt. Cotter, of the Lincoln.

Both teams are fairly well balanced, and an exciting encounter should ensue.

The teams are:—

England Probables:—F. Fowler (Y.M.C.A.); Cox (East Lancs) and E. V. Reed (Club); Parker (Police); W. A. Reed (Club) and Lt. Williams (East Lancs); Lt. Robinson (East Lancs); Lt. Garthwaite (H.K.S.R.A.); W. O. Senior (A.E.C.); Lt. Dawson (East Lancs) and Driver (East Lancs).
Ireland Probables:—A. B. Woolley (H.M.S. Suffolk); Cpl. Kennedy (E. Lancs) and Lt. Dineen (E. Lancs); Lt. Murphy (E. Lancs); Lt. Ravenhill (H.K.S.R.A.) and Lt. Cotter (Lincoln); Cpl. Hensley (E. Lancs); Pte. Gamble (E. Lancs); Lt. Pearse (H.K.S.R.A.); Pte. Lt. Lastell (H.M.S. Hermes) or A. N. O'Neil, and Pte. Noon (E. Lancs).

Both sides are at full strength, and a great exhibition is anticipated, especially by the defences. The result of the game will depend to a great extent upon the intermediate lines.

The Saints, who are making their strongest challenge since the inception of the tournament, have not yet finally decided upon the formation of their defence, but in the present circumstances, it would be most unwise to revert back to the two back and goal-keeper defence, after having proved that their three-back game is just as effective, if not more so.

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The game commences at 3 p.m. on the Y.M.C.A. ground, and the teams are:—

St. Andrew's:—L. Jorge, E. Landolt and G. White; P. Everest, J. Wong and I. Woolley; P. Wong, I. Gittins, Mrs. G. White, P. Gittins and M. Churn.
Hong Kong:—B. Hance; E. M. Gray and B. Hebling; C. Ferguson, N. McKenna and J. Smalley; W. Marsh, J. Dalziel, Mrs. Harrop, Mrs. Moutrie and A. Jack.

Caer Clark League Table To Date

	P.W.	L.	D.	F.A.	Pts.
H.K. Ladies	10	5	2	22	6-14
St. Andrew's	10	5	1	24	8-14
C.R.A.	10	5	2	22	10-18
"Y" Ladies	10	5	3	15	8-10
Rococo	9	1	5	5	9-7
C.B.S.	9	0	0	2	8-8

EAST LANCS BEAT PUNJABIS

Intermediate Line Decide Issue

Leading by two clear goals at half-time the East Lancs, beat the Punjabis by 3 goals to 2 in a fast hockey match at Shamshupo yesterday.

The display given by Murphy, Lt. Williams, and Nether in the half-back line was responsible for the circumstances surrounding the game.

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MURRAYFIELD CLASH THIS AFTERNOON

IRELAND LEADING TABLE AT PRESENT

SCOTS MAKE THREE CHANGES

(By "REFEREE")

THE climax to the 1934-5 International Rugby season will take place at Murrayfield this afternoon when Scotland entertain England, the holders, in their 57th encounter in the historic "Calcutta Cup" series. The result of this match will decide the championship.

Many of those interested in the clash between Scotland and England may wonder why the trophy awarded to the winners is known as the "Calcutta Cup."

It was presented by the Calcutta Football Club, on their disbandment in 1873, when the balance of the funds remaining was devoted to the purchase of a challenge cup to be competed for annually by the English and Scottish Rugby Football Unions.

The idea was suggested by their founder and Secretary, G. A. Rothney, who died about 10 years ago. The cup is of silver, and, being of Indian workmanship, the design is elaborate and striking.

During the last 10 years, Scotland have won the Calcutta Cup on six occasions, England three times and one encounter was scoreless.

The most overwhelming defeat was sustained by Scotland—in the 1924 season, when they lost by 19 points to nil.

Vital Deciding Clash
Ireland at present lead England by one point in the International series, and the latter must win to-day to retain the championship.

Scotland have won at Murrayfield for the past five seasons, and it would not be unexpected if the England fifteen failed to break the sequence to-day.

Scotland have made several changes in the team which lost to Ireland on February 23, Forrest having replaced Johnston at right-wing three-quarter, while Harry Lind, the Scottish captain of 1933-34, who was excluded from the unsuccessful team against Wales, but who was reinstated against Ireland, has again been dropped from the left-centre three-quarter position in favour of Murdoch. Dr. Tait has been brought into the front row instead of G. Cottingham, who hooked against Ireland.

The following are the teams:—
Scotland:—W. K. Marshall; Forrest, R. C. S. Dick, Murdoch, Fyfe, Shaw, Logan; Murray, Dr. Tait, E. M. Griev, J. Beattie, W. A. Burns, Thom, Walters and Lambie—Reuter.
England:—Boughton; Booth, Cranmer, Henton and Leyland; Gadeney and Auty; Kendrew, Nicholson, Longland, Clarke, Dicks, Weston, Payne and Cridland.

TABLE TO DATE

	P.W.	L.	D.	F.A.	Pts.
Ireland	3	2	1	0	24-22-4
England	2	1	0	1	17-6-3
Scotland	2	0	2	0	15-18-0
Wales	3	1	1	1	12-22-3

* Champions.

Past Results
The following have been the results of matches between England and Scotland since 1925:—

Year	England	Scotland
1925	15-13	
1926	17-9	
1927	21-13	
1928	12-6	
1929	12-6	
1930	12-6	
1931	12-6	
1932	12-6	
1933	12-6	
1934	12-6	
1935	12-6	

In the complete series of 56 games played, both countries have shared 46, and the remaining 10 have been left drawn.

Lee Tin Sang Suspended And A. V. Gosano Severely Censured

LEE Tin-sang, the Inter-club referee, was suspended for one month while A. V. Gosano, the Inter-club and Rovers referee, was severely censured at a special sitting of the Emergency Committee of the Hong Kong Football Association, who met yesterday evening at the Sports Club to inquire into the circumstances surrounding the two incidents in the Governor's Cup competition last Sunday, when the Referee gave the above-mentioned marching orders.

This is the second time this season that Lee Tin-sang has been given marching orders, by a Colony referee, the first occasion being the First Division clash between the Athletic and South China "A" at Caroline Hill. He was cautioned on that occasion.

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INDIAN HOCKEY TEAM TO VISIT NEW ZEALAND

Dhyani Chand Leading Very Young Side

FIVE MONTHS' TOUR TO START NEXT MONTH

An Indian hockey team is to leave for New Zealand early in April and will be away from India for about five months.

New Zealand and Australia have been negotiating with India for about five years for a hockey team to visit them and it had been decided to send a team to both those Dominions early this year.

Unfortunately Australia found herself unable to carry on with the scheme and withdrew.

New Zealand, however, with the pleasant memories of the visit in 1926 of the Indian Army Hockey team, offered to arrange the visit herself with the present satisfactory result.

VERY YOUNG TEAM

The Indian team is a very young one, the only two experienced players (from the international viewpoint) being Dhyani Chand, the famous centre-forward, and his brother Rup Singh. Dhyani Chand, the captain, was the hero of the Indian Army team's visit to New Zealand nine years ago when he, lone, scored over a hundred goals.

THE PLAYERS

The following have been chosen for the tour. It is certain they will win most of their matches.

Goalkeepers—T. B. Blake (Sind) and N. Mukerjee (Bengal).

Backs—Mahomed Hussain (Manavadar), P. Das (Bengal) and Rashid Ahmed (Punjab).

Halves—D. Nestor (Bengal) Masood (Manavadar), M. J. Gopalan (Madras) and Mohd. Naleem (Punjab).

Forwards—Shahabuddin (Manavadar), L. Davidson (Bengal), Dhyani Chand (Army), Rup Singh (Gwalior), Nawab of Manavadar (Manavadar), B. P. Agnihotry (U.P.) and R. J. Carr (Bengal).

DECIDING CLASH FOR CAER CLARK CUP

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The Hong Kong Ladies have an excellent defence, but a very "if" attack.

Miss Gray and Miss Helbling are excellent defenders, with two good wing-halves in Miss Ferguson and Miss J. Smalley.

Pivotal Weakness

Miss McKenna, although much faster than Miss Pope, the former Colony pivot, is not as experienced and may find Mrs. White more than she can cope with.

Miss P. E. Everest, Miss J. Wong, and Miss I. Woolley, are perhaps the best combination of halves playing in any team in the series, and the champions' attack will find their task of breaking through very difficult.

EAST LANCS BEAT PUNJABIS

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Their surprise win against an exceptionally speedy and well-balanced forward line.

Cox watched Lal Singh very carefully, and the Interporter never reached within striking distance.

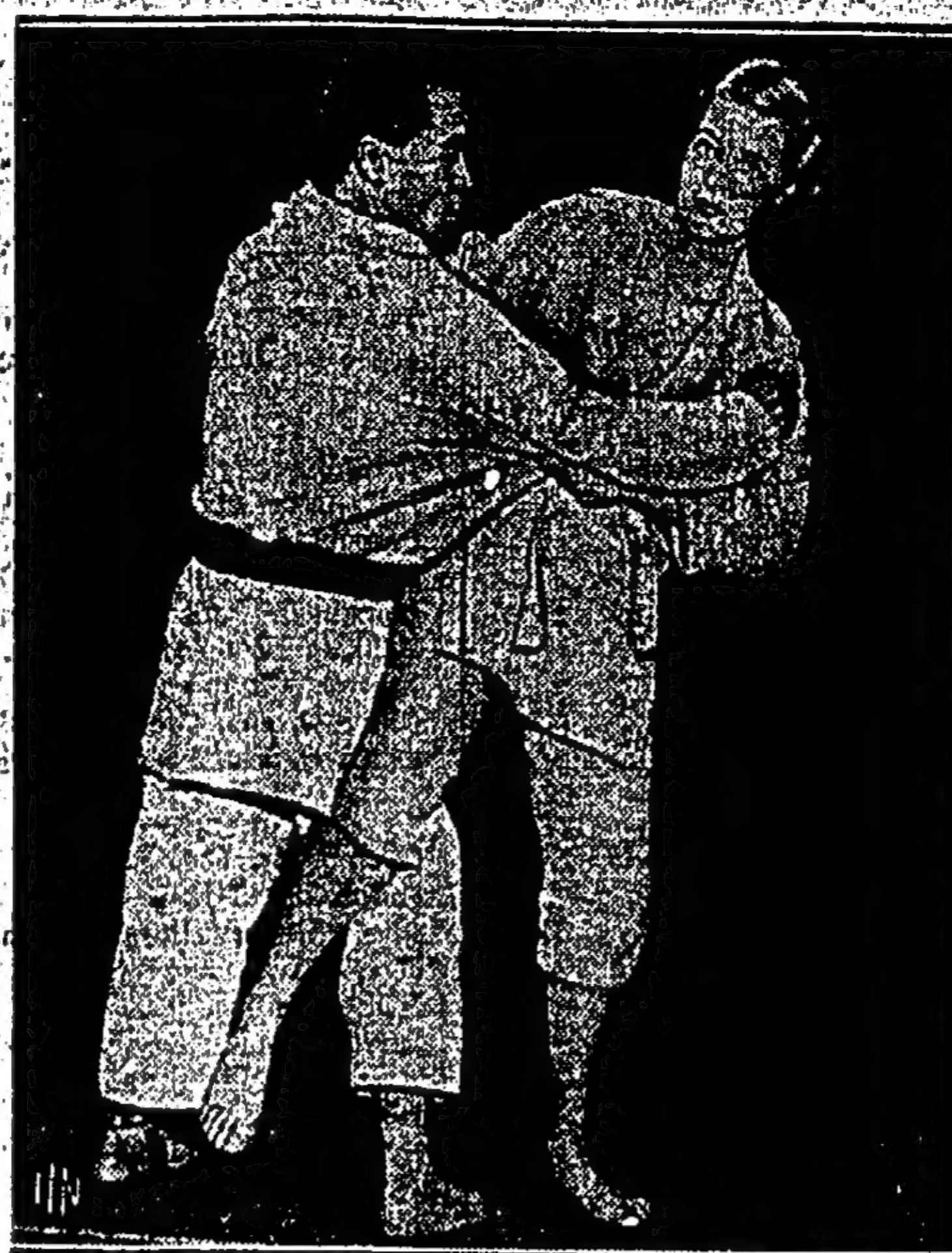
Lt. Walker was outstanding on the wing for the losers.

Johnson (2) and Lt. Dawson scored for the Lancs, while Karar Singh and Alaf Din netted for the Punjabis.

FINCHER & MANNERS SHOULD REACH FINAL

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Y. W. Lee took a page of the "Rumjahn" book when he "played ball" with Warwick Shute, one of the 18-year-old twins. The youthful contender, however, made some splendid recoveries on occasion, while his well-judged lobbing often had his sporting opponent in difficulties, but his defeat in straight sets was only to be expected.



The only woman with the rank of Jultan master is the distinction now enjoyed by Mrs. Sarah Meyer, of London, who became interested in the sport in England and went to Japan to study it. She is shown in a bout with J. Samura, eighth ranking master of the Japanese art of self-defence.

TENNIS LEAGUE IN UNITED STATES ARRANGEMENTS MADE BY TILDEN GROUP

EIGHT CITIES TO HAVE TEAMS

Chicago, Mar. 11.

A professional tennis league has been organized and will start functioning in the summer of next year. The league will consist of eight cities and will be modelled as nearly as possible on the lines of major league baseball. Franchises already have been sold in the eight cities which will compose the league.

SUCCESSOR TO RALPH METCALFE

PAUL PHILLIPS TO SUCCEED SPRINT

WORLD FAMOUS MARQUETTE TRACK SQUAD PREPARE

Milwaukee, March 11.

Paul Phillips, Omaha Negro, is expected to replace Ralph Metcalfe as the top scorer on Marquette University's 1935 track team, but there is a little possibility that he will approach Metcalfe's record-breaking performances.

As a sophomore last year, Phillips was overshadowed by Marquette's world's fastest human but placed second to Metcalfe in the sprints in most dual meets. The two negro athletes roomed together and Phillips profited from Metcalfe's advice.

The Marquette track squad has been in training since the Christmas holidays for one of the biggest meetings in the school athletic history.

The tentative schedule includes Wisconsin, Notre Dame, Indiana, Minnesota, Chicago, Michigan State, as well as the Drake relays and other open meets.

Metcalfe, who has completed his collegiate competition, has returned from a trip around the world and will resume his studies in Marquette law school next month.

—United Press

ATHLETIC AND CLUB FAVOURED

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last Saturday's form, Kowloon supporters will not be disillusioned as Bliss and his halves can reproduce to the quality of the team.

To-morrow the Lincolns and the Navy clash in the First Division. I have forecasted a win for the Navy, who have been augmented by the arrival back in port of the Hermes and the small ships.

This week's soccer programme on the whole is one of the most interesting of the season.

WRIGHT WINS TITLE IN NEW EVENT

FAST PLAY FEATURES ENCOUNTER

AGGRESSIVENESS DEFEATS HAWES

Shanghai, March 13.

AS a result of a brilliant effort in the fifth game of yesterday's match for the Junior Squash P. Hawes by 9-7, 9-3, 1-9, 2-9, 7-9 and thereby became the first junior champion in Shanghai, as this tournament was only commenced this year.

In view of the increasing interest in squash, and the inception of the Junior Division of the League this season, the Junior Championship was established to give the lesser experienced players a chance for distinction in tournament play.

J. P. Hawes was favoured to win the match, but was not at his best and was taken back by Wright's aggressiveness, the latter playing a very hard and forceful game wherein he maintained a terrific pace throughout, his superior stamina proving too much for his opponent.

Curiously enough, the winner took the first two games, lost the next two and was faced with a deficit of 8 points in the final game when points stood at 7-4 in Hawes' favour.

Wright was then able to bewilder the loser with a run of hard shots that took him into winning sequence and resulted in his victory.

AGGRESSIVE PLAY

In contrast to the final of the senior champion of last week, the faster and more aggressive player defeated the slower but cleverer and more experienced exponent.

Hawes playing a number of clever shots both off the side walls and into the corners whereas Wright's speed and hard hitting earned him the majority of his points.

Wright was also able to pick up a number of shots which looked like scoring, his speed and ability to cover the court quickly being marked in contrast to Hawes' comparative lack of speed.

JAPANESE-FILIPINO ATHLETIC MEET

PROPOSED EVENT FOR TOKYO

BOXING AND BASEBALL TO BE INCLUDED

Tokyo, March 11.

The Japan Athletic Association is considering a proposal made by the Philippine Amateur Athletic Federation for the holding of a Japan-Philippines competition here in May or June.

It was learned that the J.A.A. directors have sought that views of the Nippon Rikujokyoji, Romei, the Tokyo Six University, Baseball League and the Japan Boxing Federation on the proposal.

The idea, it is said, meets with popular approval, and if staged, will be held under the auspices of the J.A.A.

The P.A.A.F. is reportedly willing to send a track and field team, consisting of 14 athletes (and a coach), baseball team composed of 15 players and a number of amateur boxers, presumably members of the Far Eastern University, squad which won the national championship in Manila recently, although losing the open championship to Japanese fighters.

The date proposed by the P.A.A.F. it was learned, will coincide with the second general meeting of the A.A.A.O. here.

The A.A.A.O. (Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient) replaced the recently dissolved Far Eastern Athletic Association under whose jurisdiction the Far Eastern Games have been held.—United Press.

ARSENAL PAY \$4,000 FOR NEW PLAYER

Arsenal Football Club have secured the transfer of R. Davidson from St. Johnstone, the Scottish League club. The fee paid was about \$4,000. Davidson is 21 years old, and his clever play at inside forward is compared with that of Alex James.

Shanghai Junior Golf Club's New Lawn Bowls Green

Shanghai, March 13.—The Shanghai Junior Golf Club held their annual general meeting last evening in the club, when the following were elected to the general committee for 1935/6:—Captain, J. L. Henry; vice-captain, A. J. Hall; committee members: R. Conduit, W. J. Cumming, A. D. Denton, W. J. MacDermott, P. J. Kane; hon. secretary and treasurer, W. H. S. Hatten.

Robert Bailey is honorary president of the club, a position that he has held now for many years. J. L. Henry presided at the well-attended meeting and before proceeding with the business asked the members to stand in reverence for two minutes in memory of two members, C. T. Parsons and J. Hunter, who had passed away.

The chairman explained that the new lawn bowls green that was being constructed in front of the club house would be a great boon to the members when finished and would be sure to create additional interest in this great game. The green would be ready for play next season but no doubt a few games might be played on it towards the latter part of the present season.

China Mail

HOME SUPPLEMENT

HONG KONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1935

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IS YOUR BIRTHDAY IN MARCH TOO? The nicest, perhaps, of all birthday affairs is the tea party. So cosy in March, so cordial and withal so little trouble. The table exquisitely set, the gleaming fire, the china and glass perfectly arranged on delicate cloth, flowers to add their scent and charm—and your very best friends. The food may be simple; tiny muffins, some of them jam filled, sandwiches, small cakes, and bonbons with the fragrant tea.

Or the birthday luncheon that may be so smart without entailing a great deal of expense and trouble. Let novelty and smart simplicity be the keynote of the table scheme. There are so many casual ways of arranging the table with lovely lines. Lemons, with their leaves, shaped in pyramids on silver bowls might give an original note of great character.

If the party be a bridge luncheon with a group of woman friends, a heart salad platter will be most attractive. Arrange three nests of lettuce leaves in heart shape on each plate; in one arrange a hearty salad—chicken, lobster, tuna fish or ham; in the second nest a vegetable salad; and the third a fruit salad, which takes the place of dessert, and which should be topped with whipped cream dressing. Mayonnaise or boiled dressing is most appropriate for the other salads. Garnish the platter

with beet slices cut in hatchet or heart shapes, using sliced maraschino cherries on the fruit salad. Small buttered hot rolls and coffee accompany the salad platters.

Such a refreshment is quite appropriate top for an evening party.

And if it is an evening party, and your guests are quick thinkers, here's a new game called "Book Reviews," a sort of "Consequences," only much funnier.

You start off on your slips of paper by writing the name of the book reviewed, then fold it and pass it on to the next player who supplies the name of the author, while the next three give names of various reviewers and their comments. Such a result might occur: "Jemima Puddle-duck," written by Dean Inge.

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THE MARCH PARTY

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Coffee
Individual Birthday Cake
Bonbons

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Small Cakes Birthday Cake
Tea Punch Coffee

Make YOUR Own HOME

DECORATING THE BEDROOM

(By A. S. KONYA)

BEDROOMS have always been irresistible to painters and print makers, but I would not encourage the habit which was a common practice in America a few years back. The American housewife, finding an old English engraving showing an elaborate Tudor or Elizabethan bedroom, or a French print depicting a bedroom scene of the most magnificent type, would call in her interior decorator and exclaim: "I want a bedroom like this!" The interior decorator, being a good business man, did one bigger and better; and that is how many of those pseudo-French-English and Spanish interiors originated, elaborately photographed and described by society periodicals.

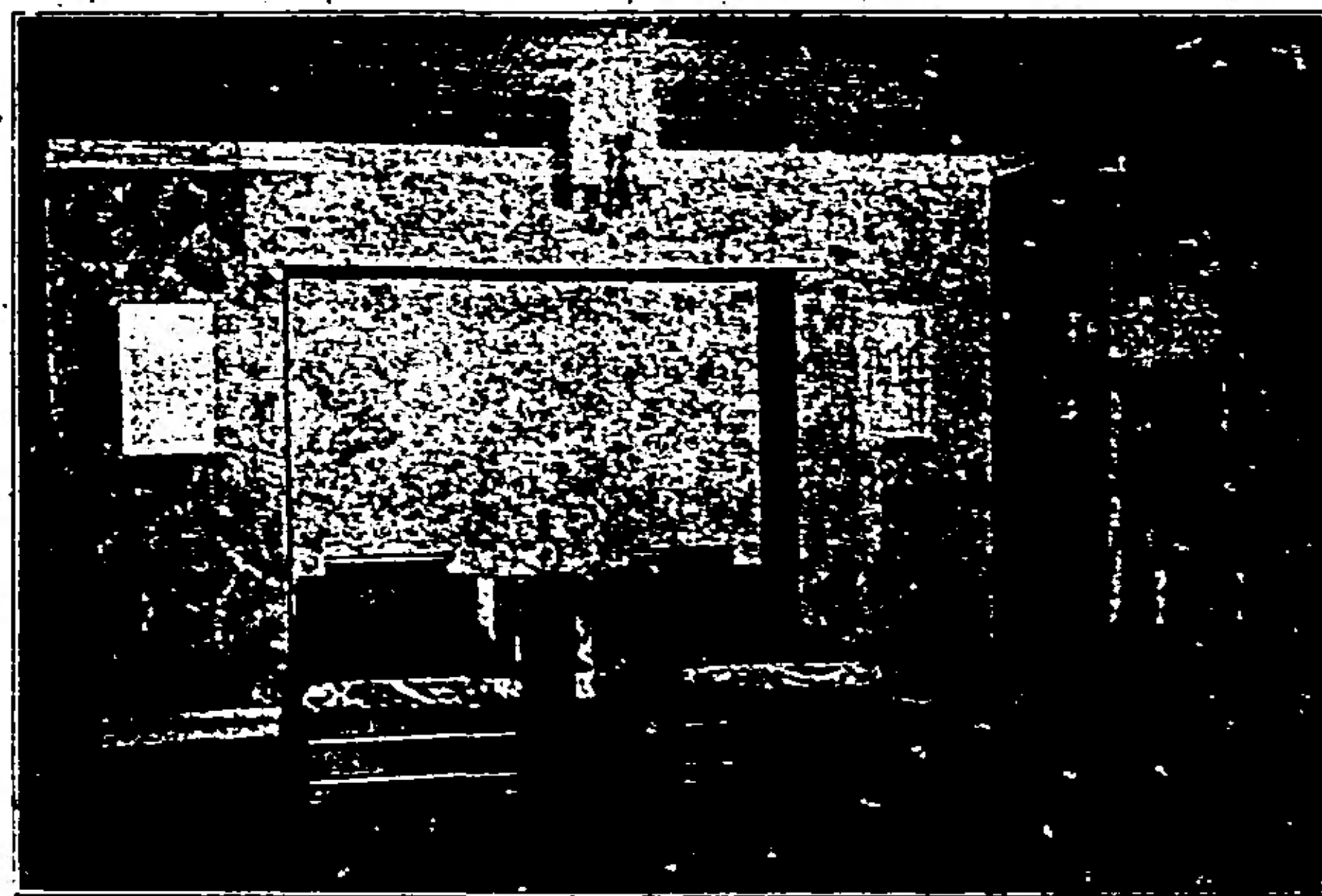
Simplicity should always be the keynote of decoration, and one cannot emphasise enough that the utilitarian consideration should come first of all. Light, air and spaciousness should be the first principle. Bedrooms should get the morning sun, because nothing is more pleasing than to start the day's work with a cheerful disposition. Walls should be of pleasant and cheerful colours, and that applies to curtains too. Walls should be painted in oil colours, or washable wallpapers used. Furniture should be of light coloured woods to avoid sombreness, though a man's bedroom can be more subdued in tone.

The greatest mistake is the buying of the old-fashioned standard form of bedroom suite, with its hideous wardrobe blocking up the room, and the forbidding washstand. The fact is that what one needs is not a bedroom suite, but the single pieces which correspond to one's requirements. Storing clothes is generally far more adequately and economically achieved by means of a well-thought-out accommodation in the form of built-in cupboards. Such equipment is certainly cheaper to provide in the first place than loose furniture, and it does not require so much attention. Moreover, it is possible in built-in cupboards to get a greater depth for hanging space and shelves than is practicable with the ordinary wardrobe.

The principal loose furniture necessary in a bedroom is some form of a chest of drawers, and this can be as attractive in appearance as anything in the house. If necessary, it may be made to serve as a dressing-table, so that only a bed and chair are needed to complete the equipment of the room. The old conventional washstand has disappeared from an up-to-date bedroom, having given place to a simple and severely utilitarian fixture with a hot and cold water supply.

The bed of yesterday, usually the main and most decorative feature of the room, has undergone a tremendous change. It is no more considered necessary to place beds in any prominent position. As the elaborate head-and-foot-board has disappeared, the bed has become a strictly utilitarian piece of furniture. It may still be elaborate only in small supplementary furniture such as the reading stand and breakfast table. In the latest type of bedroom, the bed becomes a sort of low couch without any foot or head-board, its severe simplicity only broken with one or two casually placed cushions.

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The blending of flavours in the cheese-peanut loaf is most intriguing, and the rice and tomato croquettes, served with a vegetable soup, a green vegetable salad and a sturdy dessert, like apple dumplings, will see you through.

Here are the details:

Meatless Rice Loaf

1 cup cooked rice
1 egg
2 tablespoons chopped onion
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup crushed peanuts
1 cup cottage cheese
1 tablespoon fat
½ teaspoon pepper
Mix all ingredients well and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) in a loaf pan, for about 30 minutes. Six servings. Serve plain, or with tomato, or cream sauce. A thin sauce with a little grated cheese would be good.

Rice and Tomato Croquettes

½ cup rice (raw)
½ cup brown stock
2 cups canned tomatoes
1 sliced onion
1 sliced carrot
1 sprig parsley

½ teaspoon salt
2 cloves
¼ teaspoon pepper-corns
1 teaspoon sugar
1 egg slightly beaten
¼ cup grated cheese
1 tablespoon butter
Dash of red pepper

Wash rice and steam it in stock until all is absorbed (water with a bouillon cube will do, or the same amount of canned consommé undiluted). Cook tomatoes for 20 minutes with vegetables and seasonings. Rub through a strainer, add to rice and simmer till rice is soft. Remove from fire and add egg, cheese, butter and red pepper. Spread on plate to cool. Shape into cylinder or cones, egg and crumb, fry in deep fat till brown and drain. Eight medium croquettes.

—And For Breakfast

Shredded wheat and crisp rice and corn flakes will have a new zest if alternated with hot rice—an excellent cereal variation. Serve with cream and white or maple sugar; or with stewed fruits with plenty of juice. Rice cakes perform the same service for flapjacks and waffles and have a delightful crispness and flavour of their own.

—And A Rich Relation

Men still order cold rice pudding with raisins when they are away from home and can have whatever they want. But here is one glamorous variation:

Glorified Rice

2 cups boiled rice
1 cup pineapple
1 cup heavy cream
24 marshmallows
1 cup chopped apple
¼ cup sugar

Rice must not be mushy. Mix all ingredients (which are cut in small pieces), except cream, and let stand in refrigerator for an hour. Fold in whipped cream just before serving and garnish with candied cherries, canned fruit, quarters of oranges or sliced bananas. Six servings.

Devilled Egg Canapes

1 hard boiled egg
Anchovy paste
Minced parsley
Mayonnaise to moisten
3 fried croutons
Paprika to taste
Shell egg and remove a thin slice from each end. Cut in three thick slices. Remove yolk and pound to a paste with mayonnaise, minced parsley and anchovy paste, then rub through a sieve. Place a ring of egg-white in each crouton. Place yolk mixture on centre of each. Top with a dust of paprika, or with a picked prawn, or slice of stuffed olive. Arrange on flat glass or silver dish, lined with sprigs of parsley. Enough for three.



BECAUSE of the conditions of modern life practically every woman should do some exercises every day. Adapted carefully to individual requirements, they help to develop a clear and healthful skin, poise and grace of movement. They also teach us perfect relaxation—the secret of a long youth.

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But remember, it is through physical rhythm that the body learns poise and repose; so whatever exercise you are doing, avoid over-exertion. And if, after a few days, you do not enjoy your exercises, you can be sure they are not doing you any good. Your breathing must come easily, deep and untroubled; for you cannot relax feeling puffed and exhausted.

Try beginning with this one: Lie flat on your back, both arms stretched above your head. Lift the arms slowly until they are sloped backwards at full stretch, breathing deeply at the same time. Drop the arms, and slowly release the breath. Stretch the legs in the same way, being careful not to raise them too high, and paying great attention to the breathing. Repeat these two movements alternately seven times, and then rest. If you are overtired, this will make you sleep.

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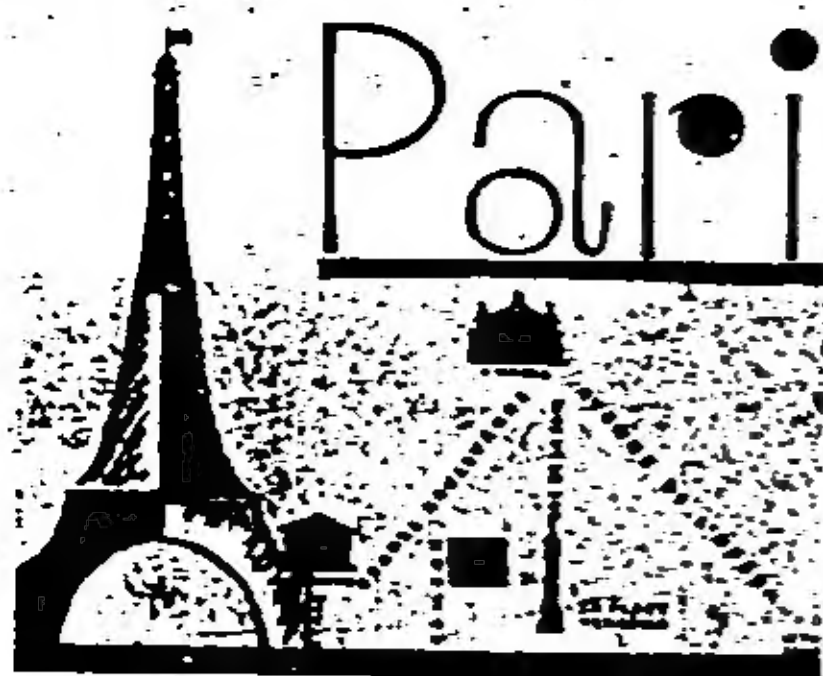


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Paris calling

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Gay Colours

IS it the Spring that brings the clothes, or the clothes that bring the Spring? There is certainly a lilt about the local shop-windows that makes you want to smile. The clothes are gay and the lines just right for Spring. Some of the hats are no more than a brim and a bird, and dresses are slit at the hem, and big, bright buttons, curled feathers, and crisp neck-lines!

Visiting one of the shops yesterday morning I saw a particularly lovely evening dress with that clever individual air that made it a model—not just a dress. A heavy silk crepe with a long panel fall from the waist; diamante straps were striking above the deep bishop purple.

Then I saw the new vogue for lace—the evening frock with the train, subtly suggesting something of long ago. This was a simple grace with just one touch of daring in the green velvet flower that clung to the beige lace at the waist.

There was an afternoon frock with a nigger brown bodice gathered with a broad band at the waist, drawing attention to its smart simplicity; the skirt and elbow-length sleeves were beige of the same material. Another was powder blue silk crepe with touches of deep blue velvet—a lovely combination. Its long square neck was effective, and a small pleated frill rested lightly on the shoulder. The fall was elegantly long with only a slight slit at the hem. The jacket to match was smart too with a deep velvet collar, and little buttons above winged points. Imagine those two together over egg-shell china and light conversation!

A navy linen jacket and belt above a white linen skirt made me long for real Spring mornings. Navy blue is the favourite colour this Spring—but the real chic came with two scarlet yarn pom-poms at the neck and at the belt! There was youth and life in that delightful little creation.

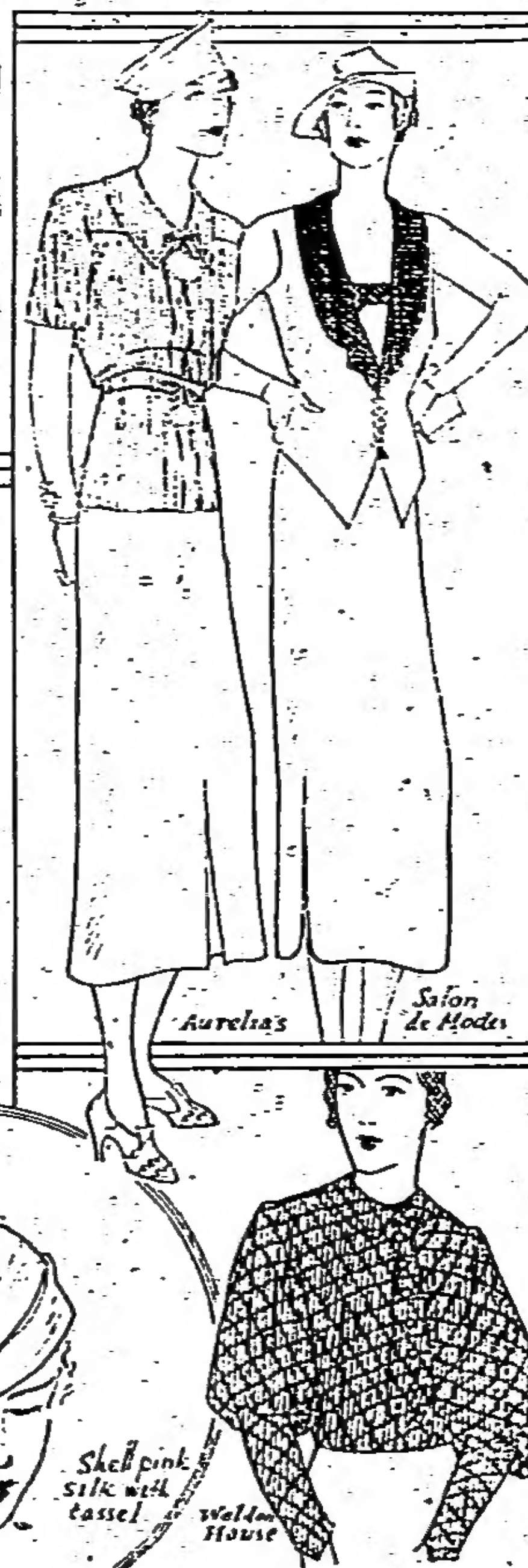
Little red feathers, beige belts and light coloured accessories are favourites. And for evenings the colours are pink, duck-egg green, primrose yellow, and shades of light blue.

I saw some hats too. A bright vermillion straw with just the



right, neat tilt—a good beginning for the season. Then a shell-pink material hat with a real silky tassel and a funny crooked peak falling beneath it.

There's joy in store for you, even in Hong Kong!



HOW TO do things

HERE is something clever and original for your supper table—a bowl of anemones, vivid blossoms tucked in damp fern or moss. Or a lily pond in a black glass bowl, with the flowers floating among real leaves.

This is the simple way of them. Have you some ends left over from your decorative coloured candles? Well, spread a newspaper on the table and then collect the materials. You'll need a small saucepan, a bowl of cold water, a dessert spoon, several candle ends (or whole candles if you have them to spare)—the colours you like best, and a tube of black water-colour paint. Finish making the flowers of one colour, and clean the pan before using another.

First, melt the wax in the pan over a fire or on the gas-ring. Then take a spoonful of wax and pour it gently into the water, where it sets into a roundish disc—easily shaped into a petal. Leave the wax in the water for about ten seconds, putting your fingers gently underneath to test when it is slightly hardened, then lift it out and shape into a petal. Reheat the wax and make another petal, joining it to the first at the base as you shape it. For the anemone make five. There is no need to hurry, as the wax will stay soft and is workable for several minutes. See that the petals are dry as possible before painting the centre black. Make a few buds, too, with curled petals in a sheath of green.

Let the wax set hard before arranging the flowers; if they are anemones they would look well in their moss bed in a simple brown earthenware bowl.

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With the infant, though, we have not even the help of halting speech. It needs a far closer study and a keener leap of the imagination. But because the babe is dumb we cannot assume it has no mind.

The youngest baby responds to the touch of the mother's breast and arms long before he has learned to see them. The most real things in those days are the things which can be touched, and the child has to learn slowly that a particular appearance goes along with a certain sort of touch. Even at a year and a half a child may try to take up a sunbeam off the floor.

Hearing is the least developing of the senses at birth; but between the second and fourth months, most children become very sensitive to different tones of voice, and may be profoundly affected by them. It may make a great difference to his nervous health whether he is surrounded by soft encouraging voices and quiet steps, or harsh and shrill tones.

His skill in movements soon gives him much delight and interest—see the two-months baby kicking in his bath; the nine-months cooing and gurgling as he makes sound experiments.

It is through these experiences that the baby's mind grows.



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BEAUTY DIARY

• BY Esther •

*Do Your Eyes
Sparkle? — Some
Subtle Ways of
Evening Make-up*

Eyebrows that are already dark enough should be brushed with the tiniest amount of brilliantine.

Eye-Shadow

And what entrancing things this will do for your eyes! A subtle way of throwing light into the eyes is to use a shadow shot with gold or silver: gold for the brunette and silver for the blonde. These can be had in a variety of shades, a lovely one too, especially for fair women, is mauve. It should be applied with a camel hair brush. Begin near the lashes very, very lightly; and shade gradually away over the lid until no edge is left. The darkest part should be near the lashes, and then fading away toward the brows.

Lashes

They can be made beautifully silky with mascara. Take a little on your brush, and brush the lashes upward and the ones at the outer edge outward. If the lashes stick together a little comb can be used to make each lash stand on its own legs. A navy-blue is often more attractive for the evening than a black.

A final touch of eye make-up, to make the evening eyes look larger, is to put the smallest dot of rouge on an orange-stick and place it in the inner corner of the eye.

Evening Powder

Must be so carefully chosen! Artificial light requires something glowing like peach or rose tones, rather than the fawny shades. Much the same applies to the entire make-up; the pinky shades give more life and radiance than the orange.

One of the few times when a more orangy make-up is attractive for evening is when wearing white, in which case a darkish powder would help to give a slightly sun-tan effect.

The colour must be softly toned down to harmonise with shaded lights and subtle perfumes.

WE would do well to begin our Diary in the evening: in the morning a woman can be well-groomed and neat, in the afternoon soignée, but in the evening she must bloom. Her hair must shine, her eyes sparkle and her shoulders gleam.

So much more can be done in the evening than in the day. A stronger make-up is definitely becoming; rouge may be a tint brighter, the lips more vivid, and eyeshadow deeper.

Do You Use Your Eyes?

Do they sparkle and look twice as big as they really are? Eye make-up is the most difficult of all to apply; but after a little private practice it's fun to do, because nothing improves one's looks more than beautiful eyes.

We must first pay attention to the eye-brows, since brows too thick and close so easily, overshadow the eyes and take away from their size and colour. A thin, hard line is to be avoided; the curve of the eye-brows must be their own, but it should be a neat, tidy curve like a young moon, with no straggling, untidy hairs. Don't be too eager when you pluck; grasp one hair firmly in the tweezers and pull gently at first. Then, when you feel the hair move, pull sharply and out it will come, root and all. Dab afterwards with peroxide, and if you rub the skin with a menthol cone before starting to pluck you will not feel any discomfort.

A little mascara tints them darker if necessary; but brush the hairs the wrong way, so that the skin underneath is not marked, then stroke them into shape with a dry, clean brush or your finger.

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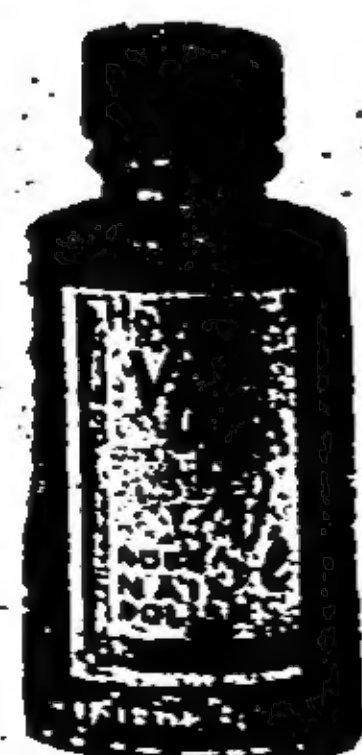
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PRESENTATION AT
Y. M. C. A.Staff's Farewell To
Mr. J. L. McPhersonPOPULAR SECRETARY ON
EVE OF RETIREMENT

Great praise was given to the good co-operative work done by the staff of the European Y. M. C. A. by Mr. J. L. McPherson, in his speech at the farewell tea party and presentation given him by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ingram, the Chinese Staff of the Y.M.C.A. in the West Lounge, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. McPherson said that his connection with the Y.M.C.A. extended over 30 years, and during that period he had noticed that the great changes that were brought about were due mainly to the splendid co-operation of the entire staff. He had seen the change from a few hired rooms in Kowloon to the magnificent building in which it is now housed.

Relations With Staff

A presentation of a silver rose bowl and a Chinese Blackwood folding table was made to the guest of the afternoon.

Mr. Matthew Law, the book-keeper for the Y.M.C.A. said:—

Mr. McPherson, Ladies and Gentlemen, I have served the Y.M.C.A. for only two months, but that short period has more than enough for me to know much of Mr. McPherson. At my first meeting I gained a great impression of his kind disposition.

His sympathetic nature and perfect understanding of others have gained him immense popularity. Another point to be noted in him is that he makes no racial distinctions.

This is the true Christian spirit; whether we are white, yellow, brown or black it matters not in God's eyes.

Administrative Powers

Apart from his fine example of true Christianity, his administrative abilities are worthy of the greatest admiration.

For 30 years Mr. McPherson has been actively engaged in the affairs of the Hong Kong Y.M.C.A. His services to the Association have been invaluable. It was through his arrangement with the International Committee of the Y.M.C.A. that a grant of \$875,000 was made to the Association, the result being this building in which we are to-day.

Mr. McPherson's interest in our Chinese Y.M.C.A. is no less keen than in the European branch. He spends more than half his time daily at the Chinese Association, guiding and advising in regard to finance and work in general.

Regretted Departure

The news of his departure from Hong Kong on retirement has caused us deep regret. In a week's time he will be sailing for his Homeland and we may perhaps never see him again. We therefore take this opportunity of presenting him with these small tokens of our gratitude to him.

In conclusion let us all give him our best wishes for the future. May God bless him for his noble work and may he enjoy many many happy years in his fatherland.

The official "At Home" and presentation of the Directors and members of the European Y.M.C.A. will be held in the West Lounge of the Y.M.C.A. at 5 p.m. on Thursday next.

NEW SCOUT TROOP IN
TIENTSINNamed After French
Officer

A new boy scouts troop of French nationality has just been organised in Tientsin. The inauguration ceremony was held recently. The troop is composed of French boys and is known as the Les Scouts Français de Tientsin, Troop Paul Henry.

The troop is named after the French officer, Paul Henry, who lost his life in Peiping during the Boxer uprising. Mr. J. Begue is Scoutmaster and has for his assistant Mr. C. Martel.

Two enlisted men of the Tientsin French Contingent are aiding the troop in an advisory capacity with regard to drills, parades and camping. They are Corporal Veltberg and Private Neveu and were both French Rover Scouts.



League of Nations. "They say I've got no army; but why should I want one with these allies?"

(By courtesy of Press.)

His Excellency, the Governor-General of Canada, Lord Baden-Powell, arrived in Hong Kong this morning to inaugurate the drive to increase the ranks of Canadian Scouts from 65,000 to 100,000, thus extending the benefits of Scouting to hundreds of Canadian communities now without an organized programme of any kind for their boys. The Scout movement, as a whole, accepted the challenge, but expansion demands more trained leaders and more field work. To ensure the success of the enterprise and finance the Scout movement in Canada for the next five years, a Campaign to raise \$500,000 was inaugurated with a nation-wide appeal on February 18th by E. W. Beatty, K.C., L.L.D., Chairman and President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who is also President of the Boy Scouts Association in Canada. This campaign has the hearty support of every thinking Canadian citizen.

LOCAL SOLICITOR
MARRIEDHUGH-JONES — ROSS
CANADIAN BRIDE FROM
VANCOUVER, B. C.

A quiet wedding took place at St. John's Cathedral yesterday afternoon, when Miss Beatrice Vivian Guess Ross, the second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Roderick Ross, of Vancouver, Canada, was married to Mr. Graeme Sisson Hugh-Jones, the well-known local solicitor, and the youngest son of the late Mr. Mervyn Hugh-Jones, C.B.E., and Mrs. Hugh-Jones of Berkenham, Kent. The Very Rev. Dean Swann officiated at the ceremony.

Bride in Brown and Pink. The bride, who was given away by Mr. H. Armstrong, looked charming in a nigger brown crepe dress trimmed with pink crepe and set off with a nigger brown hat. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Miss Constance Bonnell, Secretary of the Helena May Institute, as bridesmaid, wore a green crepe tunic style gown with a black straw hat.

The duties of best man were undertaken by Mr. "Mickey" Wright.

After the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at 3, Thorpe Manor, the home of the bridegroom.

MASS MARRIAGE IN
SHANGHAISixty Couples To Take
Part

Sixty couples have applied and been granted permission to take part in the mass marriage to be held on April 3 under the auspices of the Bureau of Social Affairs of the Municipality of Greater Shanghai.

Three investigators, specially appointed to the task, have just ended their business to make sure that the consent of all the parents concerned in the proposed marriage of juniors under twenty years of age has been obtained.

"DRAGON PRINCE"
IN NORTH CHINAFarmers And Country
Folk Hoaxed

Several leaders of a sect in North China, who have persuaded ignorant farmers and country folk that a "dragon prince" is due to come into this world in the near future, have been arrested by the police in the Pei district, according to word from Tientsin.

'HAW' HAW' ACCENT
AND THE B.B.C.Tests For Announcers
Described

DISLIKED PRONUNCIATIONS

Of 50 candidates who were tested for the position of B. B. C. announcer over a period of three years, all but one were unable to pronounce the name of the opera "Gianni Schicchi." (It should be called "Janny Skikky.")

The microphone test for announcers includes the reading of a short news bulletin, and S O S in French, a programme of French, German and Italian music, and an unprepared piece of prose. "Most candidates," says Prof. James, the Hon. Secretary of the B. B. C. Advisory Committee, "are rejected because their English accent is unsuitable; usually it is too aggressively modern, too much like what is sometimes called 'haw-haw'—the sort of speech certain comedians love to play with.

Foreign Languages. The standard of performance in foreign languages is usually exceedingly low, even in the case of many University men with degrees in modern languages. Evidently public schools and universities attach little importance to this aspect of language teaching.

Summarising the "most disliked" pronunciations among listeners, the Prof. James puts first the modified vowel short a, as in "man" ("Whitechapel and Mayfair agree that 'a men's a men for a' that"). Others are:—

Cockneyism, pronouncing "today" like "to die."

"Fah" and "wahless" for "fire" and "wireless."

"Tower" pronounced "tah."

Such pronunciations as "actah," "singah" and "orchestrah."

Accents which are resented by listeners are those usually "local" ones, but those which are believed to belong to a social class or type of character which is disliked. "The rolling of r's, for example, does not seem to hurt anybody, but 'evah' and 'pah' (for 'power') make thousands of people angry."

IMPORTATION OF
FOREIGN RICESerious View Taken By
Nanking

Mr. Wu Yuan-lu, delegate of the Shanghai City Government, who took part in the discussions in Nanking concerning the importation of foreign rice, returned to Shanghai recently.

According to Mr. Wu, the Government is taking a serious view of the excessive import and is devising adequate measures to deal with the situation.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY
CELEBRATIONBall At Peninsula
Hotel

OVER 500 GUESTS PRESENT

In a gay and delightful setting in the Rose Room and Roof Garden of the Peninsula Hotel last night over 500 guests assembled on the occasion of the St. Patrick's Ball.

The guests of honour were His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel and Lady Peel, His Excellency Major General O. C. Borrett and Mrs. Borrett, His Honour the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, and Commodore Frank Elliott, R.N.; Mrs. MacGregor and Mrs. Elliott were unable to attend.

Shortly after 9.20 p.m. Mr. B. H. Collis Hallowes, President of St. Patrick's Society, the Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore, Past President, and Messrs. F. P. R. James and T. Murphy, vice-presidents, assembled at the main entrance of the Hotel and received the guests of honour and conducted them, via the West lifts to the top floor.

At 9.30 p.m. the other official guests, Professor F. Redmond, Mrs. Lindell, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Lady Shenton, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, Miss R. Alabaster, the Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson, Mrs. N. L. Smith, the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Mr. R. M. Henderson, the Hon. Sir Sossoun Chow, Mr. A. S. Mackichan, the Hon. Sir William Shenton, Mrs. F. Redmond, Sir William Hornell, Mrs. W. B. A. Moore, Mr. A. S. Mackichan, Miss Brearley, Mr. A. Brearley, Miss Redhead, Mrs. J. Hosford, Mrs. F. P. R. James and Mrs. G. W. Pope, assembled in the Ball Room at the dais.

Ten minutes later His Excellency the Governor and Mr. Collis Hallowes, His Excellency Major General O. C. Borrett and Lady Peel, His Honour the Chief Justice Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor and Mrs. Borrett, Commodore Frank Elliott and the Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore, Mr. F. P. R. James and Mrs. Elliott, and Mr. T. Murphy and Mrs. Redhead, accompanied by their Excellencies' A.D.C.s and Mr. J. Hosford (Hon. Treasurer) and Mr. R. P. Edwards (Hon. Secretary) proceeded to the Ballroom. On the arrival of His Excellency the Governor at the middle of the Rose Room the National Anthem was played, after which the party proceeded to the dais.

The following official guests assembled on the first floor in the passage beyond the West lifts and followed H. E. The Governor and Party in procession to the Supper Room.—Professor F. Redmond and Mrs. Lindell, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster and Lady Shenton, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith and Miss R. Alabaster, the Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson and Mrs. N. L. Smith, the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock and Mrs. R. M. Henderson, the Hon. Sir Sossoun Chow and Mrs. A. S. Mackichan, the Hon. Sir William Shenton and Mrs. F. Redmond, Sir William Hornell and Mrs. W. B. A. Moore, Mr. A. S. Mackichan and Miss Brearley, Mr. A. Brearley and Miss Redhead, Mr. F. P. R. James and Mrs. J. Hosford, Mr. T. Murphy and Mrs. F. P. R. James, and Mr. J. Hosford and Mrs. G. W. Pope.

Officer Bearer. The Officer bearers were:—President Mr. B. H. Collis Hallowes; Immediate Past President, Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore; Vice Presidents, Mr. F. P. R. James M.C. and Mr. T. Murphy; Hon. Secretary Mr. J. Hosford; Hon. Treasurer Mr. R. P. Edwards; Ball Hon. Secretary Mr. J. C. M. Grenham. The committees responsible for the Ball and arrangements were: Reception, Mr. B. H. Collis Hallowes, Mr. F. P. R. James, M.C., Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. James, Mrs. Hallowes, Mrs. M. H. Turner, and Mrs. F. P. Kennedy; Supper, Dr. G. W. Pope and Mr. T. Murphy; Decorations, Mr. A. Ritchie; Music and Ball Programme, Mr. J. C. M. Grenham.

SHANGHAI POLICE
IMPEDEDPrisoners Forcibly
Released

Two prisoners, whilst being escorted to the Chapel Public Safety Bureau, were forcibly released by persons believed to be the prisoners' comrades. Chapel police later re-arrested one of the escaped prisoners, and three others believed to be his comrades.

H.K. VOLUNTEER
DEFENCE CORPSORDERS FOR THE
COMING WEEK

Orders by Lieut. Colonel H. E. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E. Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Hong Kong.

Friday, 15th March, 1935.

PARADE

Parade at Miniature Range on Monday, 18th March, 1935 at 5.30 p.m.

Corps Signals

Parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 19th March, 1935.

Machine Gun Battalion

Troop. Parade on Tuesday, 19th March at 5.30 p.m. sharp proceed by lorry to area of Night Operation and lay telephone wire to beaches.

Parade on Friday, 22nd March as detailed in Corps Orders for Night Operation.

Armoured Car Section

Parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, 19th March at 5.30 p.m. for Vickers Gun Instruction. Dress:—Neat.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company. Musketry Party III will be fired at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, 31st March, 1935 instead of Sunday, 24th March as stated in Corps Diary.

Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. calling at Kowloon Police Pier at 8.40 a.m.

Range Officer to be detailed by O. C. Company.

No. 2 (Scottish) Company. Sunday, 17th March 1935:—Company will parade at Headquarters at 8.45 a.m. to move off at 9.00 a.m. Uniform optional but clothes suitable for reconnaissance work should be worn. Transport will be provided and it is planned to return to Headquarters by 12.30 p.m.

Thursday, 21st March 1935:—Company will parade for a lecture at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m.

No. 3 (Anzac) Company. Parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 18th March 1935. Final instructions will be given on this parade in connection with the forthcoming Night Operations.

Corps Infantry (Portuguese Company). The Company will parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, 19th March at 5.30 p.m.

Lecture on Discipline by a Regular W. O. for Officers and N.C.O.s. The remainder—a short talk by Captain J. S. Rodrigues in the Lecture Room and Miniature Range respectively.

DUTIES—OFFICERS. Lieut. H. J. Croft is appointed medical Officer-in-Charge during the Battery Shoot at PAK SHA WAN on Sunday, 17th March 1935 from 10.00 hrs. to 11.15 hrs.

LECTURE—A.S.C. Cadre. Captain L. J. Walsh, R.A.S.C. will lecture to the A.S.C. Cadre on Thursday, 28th March at 5.30 p.m. in the Lecture Room.

LECTURE ROOM—ALLOTMENT. Tuesday, 19th March 1935—Corps Infantry.

Thursday, 28th March 1935—A. S. C. Cadre.

TRANSFER. From No. 1 Platoon, No. 1 (M.G.) Company to Machine Gun Battalion, Signal Section with effect from 15th March, 1935:—

No. 1321, Private T. S. Whitley. No. 1359, Private W. H. G. Hirst.

LEAVE—Officers. Lieut. L. C. Tatham, Railway Operating Detachment Cadre, is granted leave from 19th March to 19th April, 1935.

STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH. Over Three Years Services. No. 1860, Pte. R. A. Bates, Motor Cycle (M.G.) Section as from 1st March, 1935.

PARADE—continued to 1st Battery. The Battery will parade at 6 p.m. at Belcher's Fort on Friday, 22nd March, 1935.

DRESS—Overalls and Blue Caps.

STRENGTH. No. 2304, Private B. N. Da Silva, No. 9 Ptn. 7.3.35.

No. 2305, Gunner A. L. Wood, 1st Battery 13.3.35.

No. 2306, Sapper H. W. Leyden, Port R.O. D. Cadre 1.3.35.

No. 2307, E. A. Chater, Medical Section 14.3.35.

(Sgd.) P. S. M. WILKINSON, Captain.

Adjutant H.K.V.D. Corps.

AFFILIATED UNITS. Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

LECTURE. The ninth lecture in the Fire and

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APPEAL FOR MEMBERS

A successful year's work was reported by Mr. Leo D'Almada, a Castro, Jr., President of the Kowloon Residents' Association, at the annual general meeting of the Association at the St. Andrew's Church Hall yesterday evening.

In the course of his address, the President said that, long ago it became obvious that the Association had come to stay and that a glance at the report must convince even the most sceptical of its use.

He again appealed for more members, pointing out that with a larger membership the prestige of the Association must inevitably gain, and with it would come greater usefulness and effectiveness.

Supporting the President were Mr. J. H. Shaw (Acting Hon. Secretary), Mr. R. P. Phillips and Mr. H. J. Bunje. Amongst those present were Messrs. W. J. Rattey, B. Wylie, A. C. Jeffreys, D. W. Munton, R. Preston, T. B. Wilson, W. Goldenberg, E. Kern, E. Cock, and Lam Ming-fan.

The following were elected to the Committee:—Messrs. Leo D'Almada

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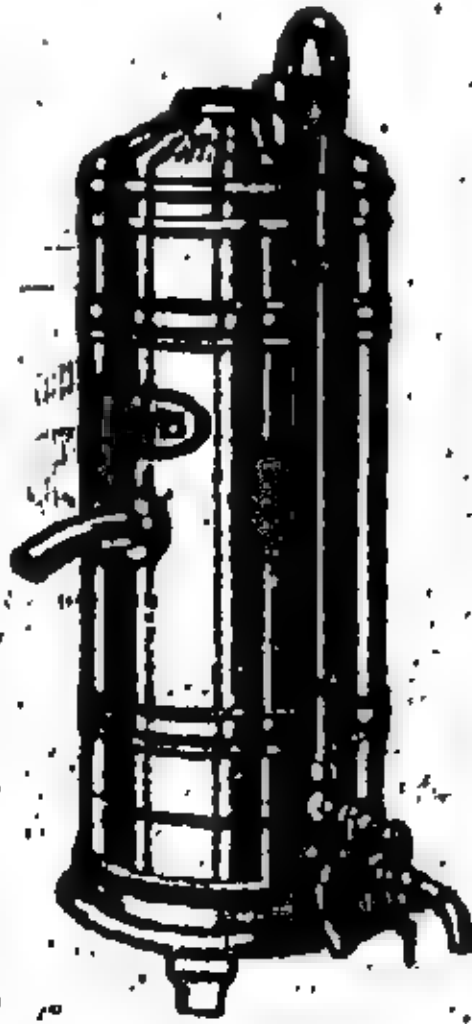
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The China Mail

Hong Kong, Saturday, March 16, 1935.

Diplomatic Candour

There is a well known story of a diplomatist who explained his reputation for a more than Machiavellian finesse by saying that what he had done was to tell the exact truth about his intentions, leaving it to his diplomatic conferees to invent all the ingenious variations suggested by their own imaginations. It is to be feared that any modern imitator of the same policy would have a similar experience. — witness the sensational explanations of Herr Hitler's cold, said to have been caught during a visit to the Saarland. After all the Fuehrer is a human being, and any man who drives about without a hat in the middle of winter may quite easily catch a cold. Even if it was a "diplomatic indisposition" which is a recognised form of polite postponement, it would appear to have had for its motive merely the publication of the fact that everybody knows, and that has been the subject of discussion between the British and the French Foreign Offices for months, that in disregard of the Versailles Treaty Germany has built and trained an air-force which is capable of doing a great deal of damage by way of reprisal for any attack or invasion. If the announcement is inaccurate in any respect, the War Departments of the two countries have all the information required to check the figures. Why then all this to-do about the official statement?

There is something so artificial about these negotiations for one more defensive pact that one can only conclude that the real subject of the discussions that are to take place when the Fuehrer's cold is better on the 24th current is the resumption of membership of the League. It is very difficult to see anything solid about the proposed addition to the Locarno Treaty, by which we are already pledged to protect the Franco-German boundary against aggression by the armed forces of either country. Nobody supposed that such an attack would be made before both were provided with an air-force, or that either would forbear to use that force out of sympathy with the enemy. The mischief was that although "Locarno" pledged Great Britain to more than public opinion was ready to welcome, it came too late to produce the much-taken-of "Locarno spirit". Only a few weeks ago the French Government asked for an official assurance that we were prepared to carry out its provisions.

If the new announcement of German preparedness added nothing to the information available, why are we told that it has aroused indignation in France? The explanation is that France makes a distinction between facts and officially recognised facts. The British policy has been to take the line that the restrictions of Versailles were of only temporary validity, even though there no express limitation; that no country could be expected to remain defenceless for ever; and that the best way to promote resettlement was to waive the restrictions voluntarily and retain Germany in the League, where any grievance could be discussed on terms of equality. France was not prepared to prevent re-armament by force, but wanted to use recognition of re-armament as a bargaining counter. The re-arming was only to go to a certain point, which would of course be fixed considerably short of the French military resources. Sir John Simon felt the force of the argument that this would be to consign the German Army to a position of permanent inferiority; and that the way to avoid that was for France to reduce her own forces to the same level. This the French Government has strenuously refused to do, and has gone so far as to regard the suggestion as a kind of treachery. In the course of the discussion the existence of the Locarno guarantee dropped into the background and disappeared from view. The present negotiations are really a kind of re-affirmation of a pledge which has always been regarded as binding by the British Government without any new declaration whatever. It is necessary to consider the Continental point of view as well as the Insular, and if in the course of years a Treaty drops out of memory there is no harm in underlining it.

The signature of a new pact will by no means get rid of the unreality of the whole business; for the fact is that no limitation of military airplanes is of any value whatever. A plane which can carry civilian passengers can carry soldiers just as easily. A plane which can carry mail bags can carry bombs up to the same weight. Attack is merely a question of dropping the bombs where they will do damage. And it is rather interesting that in a polite desire to avoid giving offence the practice required for effective bombing is called "dropping mail bags".

Sometimes one cannot but wonder who is supposed to be deceived by such very flimsy devices. It does certainly sound pacific and liberal for the Fuehrer to advocate the total abolition of "military" airplanes. Not only he but any other Minister could agree to that proposition without affecting the

HERE, THERE and EVERYWHERE

MR. KNOX'S FUTURE

Mr. Geoffrey Knox, now Sir Geoffrey Knox's job as President of the Saar Commission ended automatically with the handing over of the Saar territory to its new owners. His future is now assured. Before returning to diplomacy he is due for a long period of leave. After that he should be fairly certain of the first vacant Legation. As he began in the Consular service and is now only 50, he has made a good career.

DIPLOMATIC RECORD

At various times Mr. Knox has been described as a Scot, an Ulsterman, and an Australian. He is an Australian and belongs to one of the best-known families in Sydney, where he was born. His uncle, the late Sir Adrian Knox, was Chief Justice of Australia and was left a fortune by "Baron" John Brown, the millionaire coal-owner and racing man. Mr. Knox went to England as a boy and is to-day one of the five Australians in the British Diplomatic Service. The other four are Mr. Allen Leeper, who is still gravely ill after his last operation, Mr. Rex Leeper, Mr. Arthur Yencken, once famous as a lawn-tennis player, and Mr. Peter Garran, who joined this year.

This record is the more remarkable because no other Dominion is represented in British diplomacy.

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A Fair Beginning
They were sitting in the parlour after a very excellent meal.
"Am I the only girl," murmured the maiden, "whose mother knows how to cook?"

And Then Reflected
"Your poems are widely read?"
"Certainly. More than 30 editors have read this one."

Reason Enough
Bill: "Guppy used to call his house over there 'The Nutshe!' Wonder why he changed the name?"
Bernie: "He got tired having funny people calling to ask if the kernel was in."

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Mr. L. Kadoorie was among the passengers who returned to the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Japan yesterday.

Mr. M. T. Johnson, Non-official Justice of the Peace, returned to the Colony yesterday morning by the R.M.S. Empress of Japan.

The R.M.S. Empress of Britain, continuing on her round-the-world cruise, arrived at Padang Bay yesterday. She is due at Zamboanga on Tuesday, and in Hong Kong next Saturday.

Convicted on a charge of keeping an unregistered mui tsai, Li Kel-chun, married woman, residing at No. 574, Queen's Road West, first floor, was fined \$100 by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

The annual prize distribution of the Un Long School was held yesterday morning. Mrs. A. O. Brown, wife of the Inspector of English School, presenting the prizes.

His Majesty the King has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to an Ordinance to amend further the Dangerous Goods Ordinance, 1932.

NEW HOSPITAL FOR SHANGHAI

The Woonung station and hospital of the National Quarantine Service will be officially opened early next month.

One way or the other, for all the German planes and most of the others have been built so that they can be converted to military uses in an hour or so, just as the dye-works can be converted to be factories of poison gas. Education is too widespread nowadays for these rather clumsy devices for poisoning the public to have any other effect than the opposite of what is intended.

DEADLIEST ENEMY OF MAN WORLD-WIDE SCOURGE OF MALARIA

DESTRUCTION OF CARRIER THE ONLY REMEDY

(By a Medical Man)

SOME 30,000 people have already died in the epidemic of malaria that is still ravaging Ceylon. Out of a population of 5,300,000, no fewer than a million are said to have been infected. It is thought that the severe drought of the summer was responsible for this calamity. The course of the rivers was slowed up. The pools remaining in the rocky and sandy beds formed ideal breeding places for the mosquito. With a swiftly flowing river many of the fragile mosquito larvae were swept away.

The tragedy is that the present epidemic was foreseen, but the State Council of Ceylon rejected a special malaria ordinance. Precious time was lost, and now the epidemic and the poverty and famine which will follow, will cost Ceylon many thousands of pounds that might have been saved.

Ravages Of Malaria

Malaria has caused more deaths and sickness than any other disease. Even Great Britain has not been free from it, and there exist to-day in England three species of the mosquito which is known to carry the germ of the illness.

The downfall of the ancient Greek civilisation has been laid at the door of the malarial parasite. With yellow fever it held up work on the Panama Canal until the heroic work of General Gorges and the expenditure of twenty million dollars on sanitation cleared the way for the engineers.

At the end of the war, as a result of the disorganisation of the health services, and of lack of funds and of quinine, the incidence of malaria increased throughout the world. In Russia it spread up to the shores of the Arctic, and in 1923 some six million persons were registered as infected.

In this year the Health Committee of the League of Nations appointed a Malaria Commission, for it was realised that the problem was an international one and could be tackled only on a world-wide scale.

Experts were dispatched to all parts of the globe. They found that in one year more than seven million people were being treated for malaria. To meet the needs of patients in the 88 malarious countries it was estimated that 1387 metric tons of quinine were required. But the total consumption of quinine in these countries was found to fall short of 800 tons.

Life-Cycle Of Parasite

The discovery of the malarial parasite and of the method of infection in human beings is one of the most fascinating chapters in medical history.

This little one-celled animal, the most primitive of all forms of life, was first recognised in 1880 by the Frenchman Laveran. The famous English expert on tropical medicine, Sir Patrick Manson, conjectured that the parasite was conveyed to human beings by the bite of a mosquito.

This suggestion was taken up by Sir Ronald Ross, and the theory was established as fact. It was proved that the malarial parasite must live in the mosquito and in human blood in order to complete its life cycle. To prove the matter up to the hilt, a party of scientists in 1900 lived for three months in a mosquito-proof hut at Ostia, in the Roman Campagna, where malaria was rife. The Italian peasants were heavily infected, but the inhabitants of the hut protected with fine wire gauze went spot free.

Not content with this, they fed mosquitoes on the blood of malarial patients in Rome and then sent the mosquitoes to London. On arrival, the mosquitoes were allowed to bite Dr. P. T. Manson and Mr. George Warren, who thereupon developed malarial fever, although neither of them had been out of England. The proof was positive.

I regret to say that it is the female mosquito that does all the biting.

No Specific Yet

Unfortunately the discovery of Manson and Ross has not led to the discovery of a cure for malaria, any more than the discovery of the tubercle bacillus has led to a cure for tuberculosis. Malaria is still as fatal as ever it was.

The obvious thing to do is to exterminate mosquitoes in malarious areas, but this is not so easy as it sounds. Like all flies, mosquitoes have a high birth rate. Fortunately, not all mosquitoes carry the malarial parasite: the anopheline mosquito is the offender. And not all anopheline mosquitoes convey malaria.

It was found, for example, in the Transvaal that out of the 25 species of anopheline mosquitoes resident there, only two were important sources of malaria. A concentrated attack on these two led to a heavy reduction in the incidence of malaria.

Attack The Carrier

Every conceivable method of attack has been tried on the mosquito. Aeroplanes have scattered a dust of Paris green—a compound of arsenic and copper—over marshland. Pools have been sprayed with kerosene to choke the air tubes of the mosquito-larva. Backwaters have been turned into swiftly flowing streams.

Malaria was wiped out from two islands in the Adriatic by introducing an American fish, which feeds on mosquito larvae.

The mosquito net and screening houses with wire gauze have been effective measures against the adult mosquito, for it chooses its victims when they are indoors. The mosquito is the enemy which has to be fought with renewed vigour.

Against the malarial parasite itself, drugs are in the long run of little avail. Quinine, which was introduced in the seventeenth century, is still the main standby. It is invaluable in an attack of fever. As a prophylactic its efficiency is in dispute.

Great hopes were raised when a drug called plasmodium was discovered a few years ago. It was the perfect prophylactic, but to be of any use it had to be given in doses which were dangerous to the patient. About 1932 a new drug, atabrin, proved itself a valuable ally of quinine.

New drugs may yet be discovered, but the last word will always be with the anopheline mosquito, until we learn to control it.

WORLD CONGRESS OF PHYSIOLOGISTS

To Be Held In Russia In August

Letters containing information on the World Congress of Physiologists to be held in Leningrad this August, according to the decision of the last convention held in Rome in 1932, have been mailed to the organisational committee headed by the Academician M.I.P. Pavlov to about 2,000 authorities on physiology, biochemistry and pharmacology, residing in 59 countries. It is reported that 22 physiologists of various countries of Western Europe, the U.S.A., Syria, Palestine and India have already signified their desire to attend the congress.

MAN SENTENCED ON INSTALMENTS

Week-Ends In Prison For Ten Weeks

A goal sentence on the instalment plan was imposed when Judge Vest of St. Louis sentenced Gullin Hamlet, a negro clergyman, to thirty days for striking a negro woman relief worker. Under the sentence Hamlet will enter the jail at 1 p.m. at each Saturday and serve until 4 a.m. Monday morning for ten weeks.

PERSIA'S DESIRE FOR A NEW NAME

To Be Known In Future As "Iran"

REASON FOR CHANGE GIVEN

The Persian Government has notified the Diplomatic Corps, in Teheran of its desire that the name of the country should from March 21 be described abroad as Iran, and not Persia, as the Western world has called it for at least 2,500 years.

The authorities of the Imperial Persian Government, having on geographical, historical and ethnological grounds found that the word Persia with its equivalents in other foreign languages is not an all-embracing word for the country of Iran, have after due consideration of the case decided to make efforts to have the word replaced by the country's historically correct name Iran.

With a view to giving universal publicity to this request the Imperial Government of Iran have instructed their representatives abroad to inform the Governments and public institutions of the countries to which they are accredited of this decision and request them to use the words Iran and Iranian whenever they have occasion to make references to the country of Iran and its people.

2,500 Years Old

The Government of Iran expect that the change will become universal not later than March 21, 1935, corresponding with the 1st Farvardin, 1314, the beginning of the Iranian year. The Consulate-General trusts that the institutions and societies of India and the public in general will bear this change in mind and in future refer to Persia and Persian as Iran and Iranian.

The action of the Persian Government has a sound historical and geographical basis, though whether the word Iran will ever oust a name that has been in use among Western nations for 2,500 years is perhaps doubtful.

The word Persia comes to us from the ancient Greeks, who called the country Persia and the inhabitants Persia, as the first Persians with whom they came in contact were the inhabitants of the western province of Fars, which contained the capital of a great King known to Greek historians as Persepolis.

Arabs' Version

Even at that time, however, the whole country was called by its inhabitants Iran and the name has persisted to this day and is, incidentally, the word for "country" in the Urdu and Hindi languages.

When the Arabic invasions occurred the province became known as Fars, the Arabs having no word in their language corresponding to the sound "Peh" and as such it is to be found on the maps of the Western world to-day, its capital being the city of Shiraz famous for its men of letters.

It is understood that the Government of India has not yet received official intimation of the change.

KIDDIES' CONTEST

Theatre Tickets For Paintings

The following are the three winners of the kiddies' painting contest, details of which were published in the China Mail last Wednesday and entry for which closed at noon yesterday:

1. William Oswald Sossae No. 26 Johnston Road Ground Floor
2. Enid Fung No. 218 Apili Street Shamshulpo
3. Mariatzinha F. da Luz No. 26 Granville Road Kowloon

Two dress circle tickets for Shirley Temple in "Bright Eyes," which opens at the King's Theatre to-morrow, will be forwarded to each of the winners by Fox Films Inc.

Jemadar D. K. Chitnis, L.M.D., and Jemadar Bama Nand, L.M.D., of the Indian Subordinate Medical Staff, have been authorized by the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services to sign medical certificates of the cause of death for the purposes of the Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1930.



One for the records. For the first time a member of the Rockefeller family is fingerprinted as John D. Jr., sets an example in the Federal drive to secure digital records of all citizens. L. C. Schilder, (right) chief of the identification bureau of the Department of Justice, makes the Rockefeller record in New York.

FOR STAMP COLLECTORS

Hawaiian Rarity Causes Speculation: Obsolete Colonials Withdrawn

By A. E. L.

ONE of the world's greatest rarities is the first 2 cents stamp of Hawaii, which is catalogued by Gibbons at \$5,500 unused, or \$4,500 used. Although the catalogue illustration purposely differs in certain essentials from the original stamp, the mail gives us that a forgery of this stamp, after being offered from different parts of Europe in the past, has appeared in London. Whether this particular stamp has ever changed hands as genuine cannot be said, but collectors would generally be too wise to trust to their own judgment in purchasing such a rarity. In any case a stamp such as this would be of no value unless certified as genuine by a recognized expert committee.

It is announced that the obsolete issues of British Guiana and also Granada (except the 10s. value) have been withdrawn for the purpose of destruction. There is no 10s. denomination in the new Granada set, and the old stamp is presumably to be kept on hand to meet requirements, which are mainly fiscal.

THE St. Helena Post Office notifies that the centenary issues, will be withdrawn from use.

WUCHING DISTRICT FLOODED

Hope Abandoned For Spring Wheat

Tientsin.

The Wuching district, near Tientsin, is now flooded as a result of the sudden rise yesterday of the Yungting River.

Despite the relief measures adopted by the authorities here to hasten repairs to the breached dykes, it seems that all hopes for the wheat harvest this spring in Wuching are wholly lost.—Chekiat Agency.

INTER-PROVINCIAL HIGHWAYS

Szechuen-Hupeh Road Under Survey

Chungking.

Under orders from General Chiang Kai-shek, the Szechuen Provincial Highway Administration Bureau is hastening the survey of the route of the Szechuen-Hupeh Inter-Provincial Highway.

Survey parties are now working overtime on the route and it is expected that the work will be completed early in April, when construction work will at once be started.—Chekiat Agency.

WAICHAOPU APPOINTS NEW ADVISER

Nanking.

Mr. Wang Ting-chang, former Chinese Minister to Portugal and Charge d'Affaires in Mexico, has been appointed an adviser to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.—Chekiat Agency.

On April 23, 1935. Any applications for supplies must reach the island before that date.

There has been a growing interest in the collection of ship cancellations on stamps and covers, and this will receive a fillip in consequence of the recent publication of a handy little book entitled "Ocean Mails," by Philip Cockrill. This branch of collecting is undoubtedly of very great interest and certainly makes a welcome change. The book mentioned deals with only sea and ship marks of the present century and leaves the field open for a more extensive work on similar postmarks of earlier times.

THERE is an interesting item in "Golden's Gazette" on the essays for the first issues of China. According to Mr. S. G. Jupp, the writer of the article, the first Chinese Post Offices were opened in 1878 alongside the Customs Post, the mails being carried by Customs couriers, and the service was now thrown open to the public.

This necessitated the provision of postage stamps, and the familiar stamp, depicting the rather fearsome-looking Dragon, made their appearance. But before these materialised, several designs were submitted to Sir Robert Hart, and the original drawings of these came to light a few years ago, and were acquired by Mr. J. A. Agnew, in whose celebrated collection they now repose.

It does not appear certain who was responsible for the designs. It has been stated that the first issued stamp was the work of a Mr. H. B. Morse, an official of the Customs; but Mr. Chow, the eminent Chinese philatelist, declares that Mr. R. A. de Villard, who produced the Dowager Empress of 1894, also designed all the earlier issues. However it may be, they are certainly the work of an artist who could catch the true Oriental spirit, and who was an adept at Chinese calligraphy.

There are three essays, and it will be noted that the general scheme is the same in each case, only the central device and the denomination varying. One depicts what is presumably an elephant, supporting on its back an object resembling a plant—no doubt possessing some symbolism. The value is stated in "cash." Another essay shows a view of a pagoda, with the value in "candarin." The third gives a representation of the Imperial Dragon, the value being in "mace." This latter was obviously the accepted design, but with slight modifications in the details, and the denomination was changed from mace to candarin.

Outside the left margin of each drawing are four vertical rows of writing, giving the alternative wording for four values other than that on the left side of the drawing. For example: "I fen yin" (one candarin, silver); "er fen yin" (two candarin, silver) etc., that on the drawing being "wu fen yin" (five candarin, silver). The inscription on the right side reads: "YU CHENG CHU" (post office), and the two characters at the top read: "from right to left." "TA CHING" (China).

To-day's Short Story.

Mr. Magee's Sweet Tooth

By Jasper Power

MISS Quince was hanging out coconuts for the tits when the telegraph-boy propped his bicycle against the gate and plodded noisily up the gravel drive. At once she began to whimper apprehensively, for the arrival of telegrams in Lower Mickleham usually fore-shadowed black-edged stationery and the reappearance of sombre garments redolent of moth-balls.

When she had deciphered the pencilled message, Miss Quince broke down and wept in earnest. Any right-minded spinster would have done the same, blood being of a higher specific gravity than water and kind hearts of greater ultimate value than the metal headgear of the peerage.

The telegram had been handed in at Tilbury, and ran as follows:—

Married this morning stop sail to-day, as nimble stop tea-planting assam stop loving nephew donald stop.

Drying her eyes, Miss Quince thought how careless it was of Donald not to mention the name of his bride. How little he had changed: last time she had seen him he had carelessly sat on the cucumber-frame and fallen right through.

But she did wish that she had known in time to send the young people some little present—a vacuum cleaner, perhaps, or a black

marble clock. That, unfortunately, was now impossible, for Miss Quince knew what the doctor's sister had suffered from those awful Customs, and that only about a pair of shoes which she really had worn the day before she left Paris.

But trust the quick wits of a woman. Suddenly there crept over her face an expression of furtive cunning like that of a saint cheating himself at patience. Oblivious of the assembled long-tailed tits now cheeping impatiently for their customary free lunch, Miss Quince hastened to her spacious kitchen, her voice rising as nearly to a shout as is possible for a gentlewoman on the committee of thirteen local charities. The cook pushed her crossword puzzle into a drawer, and stood up respectfully.

MONDAY'S STORY

Monday's story will be "Gossip Wind," by Michael Home.

NEW DIRECTOR OF PUBLICITY

Mr. Yeh Chu-Tsang Takes Appointment

Nanking.

Mr. Yeh Chu-Tsang, Secretary-General of the Central Party Headquarters, who was recently appointed to the concurrent post of Chairman of the Central Publicity Committee, assumed his new office this morning. Mr. Yeh addressed the officials of the publicity department and outlined his policy in regard to the work.—Chekiat Agency.

FOREIGN JOURNALS IN CHINA

Government Register Shows 63 In All

Nanking.

According to statistics compiled by the Journal Department of the Central Kuomintang Headquarters, there are now 887 Chinese newspapers, 509 Chinese news agencies, 63 foreign newspapers (mostly Japanese) and 47 foreign news agencies in China, which have been registered with the Government.—Chekiat Agency.

CHINESE LEGATION IN TURKEY

Annual Budget Not Yet Determined

Nanking.

The initial expenses for the Chinese Legation in Turkey have been fixed at \$40,000. The annual budget, however, has not yet been decided upon.

General Ho Yao-tsu, the first Chinese Minister to Turkey, is understood to have postponed his departure until the middle of next month.—Chekiat Agency.

McCARRAN AMENDMENT IS REJECTED

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\$50 MONTHLY OVER-RULED. This rules out the limit of \$50 monthly provided for in the original bill.

Before the vote a letter was read from President Roosevelt stating that the existing wages would be protected in administering the bill. During the debate Senator Carter Glass said he had good reason to believe that the President would veto the \$4,830,000,000 bill if it reached him containing the prevailing wage amendment.

The Administration contend that if the prevailing wage amendment is included in the bill, the emergency work programmes will become too costly and the whole relief scheme will collapse.

Ten minutes later they were walking very quickly along Caliph Ismail Street in the gathering dusk, vainly trying to shake off the maimed, halt, and blind lying in wait for tea-planters who have not yet planted tea. A long descriptive account of what they saw that night went home by the next mail, but that has nothing to do with this story. Urged on by fate and the original sin, Apostolides Magee henceforth dominates the scene.

Mr. Magee was a peck-marked Cypriot with Turkish tendencies and Levantine leanings, nicely blended with an Abyssinian bias and sympathy for the Greeks. There was no question of his Cypriot origin, for that was on the distant side; and a certain genealogical pride had enabled him to narrow down his possible sires to the nationalities mentioned. Magee had simply adopted in the days when he had peddled Turkish de-light from his own bumbast, finding Europeans dealt with those whose names they could pronounce. That, however, was long ago, before his light-fingered activities had driven the tolerant Egyptian police to warn him off the Canal.

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ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

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BALANCE OF POWER HAS PROVED A FAILURE

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Of late, he said, there had been not disarmament, but increases of armaments on the part of Japan, Russia, United States and other nations. And among countries that were rearming was Germany. "What," asked the Foreign Secretary, "is the cause of this rearmament in so many countries?" The only disarmament that will last is disarmament that is freely agreed upon, and in order to bring about an agreement about armaments it is absolutely necessary to increase the sense of security.

FOORTHCOMING VISITS. The Lord Privy Seal, Mr. Anthony Eden, and I are, in a few days, setting out upon visit to Berlin, Moscow, and Warsaw in efforts to promote a better understanding between the European nations and in the hope of contributing towards the settlement of those outstanding problems which at present impair international confidence.

"I am under no illusion as to the difficulties of our task, but any measure of success would be not only a contribution to the appeasement of Europe, but would be the opening up of renewed possibilities for that arms agreement for which we

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS

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The appointment of Mr. Geoffrey Studholme Wilson to be an Assistant Superintendent of Police, with effect from March 1, 1935, is also gazetted.

His Excellency has been pleased to appoint Dr. Agnes Lilias Jenkins Dovey, M. B., Ch. B., (Edin.), to be Inspector of Schools, with effect from February 1, 1935.

have so long striven. That in its turn will strengthen the League of Nations and the collective peace system.

SIGNIFICANCE

"The visit, I shall be paying to Berlin, upon which the Lord Privy Seal will accompany me, is of course quite independent in origin from that which my colleague will pay subsequently to Russia and Poland.

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George M. Cohan, beloved of theatre audiences, is coming shortly to the King's Theatre in a film version of his own mystery melodrama, "Gambling."

Mr. Magee's Sweet Tooth

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But Mr. Magee was not thus lightly to be balked of his business career. With praiseworthy ingenuity he perfected a new technique, which, although it involved the drawback of frequently getting wet all over, had proved so far not unprofitable. His apparatus consisted of a plank and a rope with a hook at the end, which were easy to acquire and to replace. Armed with these, he betook himself to the eastern bank of the Canal as usual the very evening Miss Quince's nephew first confronted Islam in the lounge of the hotel. He sat there scratching himself until it grew reasonably dark.

Then Apostolides pushed his plank into the water, lay on it, and paddled off gently to the old Nimtollah. He noted with approbation that the port side of the vessel was deserted. Mr. Magee did not mind being kicked by a quartermaster in white canvas shoes, but now and then they affected heavy hob-nailed boots unpleasant to the base of the spine. When his fingernails scraped the iron of the ship's plates, he deftly secured one end of his rope about the plank, and flung the hooked end up towards the deck. At the third attempt the hook caught over the rail with a faint clink, whereat Mr. Magee braced his feet against the vessel's side and walked up with the easy grace of a professional acrobat.

Once on board, the visitor set to work with quiet thoroughness, moving from cabin to cabin like a district visitor in a slum street. Round his waist was slung a string bag of the type employed by charwomen for the transportation of onions, or pearl divers for the taciurn oyster, and into this Mr. Magee bundled cameras, binoculars, silver-backed hairbrushes, and whatever else took his catholic fancy.

In Cabin 23 A he found a large cake, partly unwrapped, and sampled it cautiously. Judged by Port Said standards it was an excellent cake, being of a sticky sweetness and twice as sticky as fudge.

Apostolides sampled it again, then weighed it thoughtfully in his hands. At least ten pounds, it would make a difference, even on the plank, but, on the other hand, it would require not less than three days to eat it. Mr. Magee stowed it tenderly in the string bag.

"Hey, Yarrub, imshi," roared a fierce voice as Apostolides stepped over the rail, and a red-faced quartermaster thundered along the plank deck, brandishing a mop. Uttering a derisive hoot, Mr. Magee slid hard for freedom, but that hoot was premature. Before he was halfway down his pursuer had jerked out a sheath knife and slashed through the rope. Apostolides Magee entered the water with a resounding splash, and sank like a marble tombstone. For some time the quartermaster stared over the side, muttering to himself that these Arabs would steal the milk out of yer tea, then hurried off to inform the mate. The mate said those Arabs could swim like seals, swore a bit, and settled down to write a report. Six hours later the Nimtollah was on her way to Suez.

The Iceland Dawn followed the Nimtollah to the buoy, and for perfectly good maritime reasons had cut her starboard anchor on short cable. As she was heaving in the cable, a seaman who was playing the

hose on the ooze-coated anchor suddenly bellowed: "Stiff on the fluke, sir."

"Tip him off," said the chief officer very sensibly. "The owners forgot to put a morgue aboard the Iceland Dawn, she not being a Western Ocean boat. Capsize him him into the ditch."

"He's fast by something lashed round his waist, sir," announced the A.B., who had climbed over the bow on a heaving line. "I'll soon cut him adrift.... there, he's gone now." Panting a little, he reappeared on the forecastle head.

"I reckon it was this towed him down to Davy's locker," he volunteered, holding up a bulging string bag. "There's cameras in it, sir, and glasses and fancy hairbrushes, and I'm banjaxed if there isn't a great cake. Big enough to feed all hands and his blinkin' brother."

"Shake em out on deck, and we'll have a dekho at them," ordered the mate with growing interest. The sudden cake flopped heavily on deck, where it promptly fell to pieces, disclosing to view a handsome aneroid barometer, mounted on mahogany backing.

There was a label attached: "With all best wishes from Auntie Charlotte. I hope you will both find this useful."

The chief officer noted with professional interest that the instrument registered Very Dry.

THE END.

GANGES CHANGES ITS COURSE

Washes Away Portion Of A Pier

A somewhat sudden change in the flow of the Ganges washed away a portion of a pier erected for the convenience of pilgrims to the Magh Mela. The remaining portion is now being dismantled as the Magh Mela authorities now think they will be able to provide much better bathing facilities on February 8 (the next important bathing day) than was available heretofore.

MARINES TO GUARD THE PALACE

First Time In History

For the first time in the 275 years' history the Royal Marines will this autumn mount guard over the King's Palaces in London.

His Majesty has approved the selection of this corps to relieve the Guards Brigade.

The Marines, under the command of Lt.-Col. T. L. Hutton, of the Chatham Division, will be drawn from the three divisions of the corps at Chatham, Portsmouth and Plymouth.

Officially the guard duties are known as "public duties" and include guarding Buckingham Palace, St. James's, and the Bank of England.

EXPENSIVE NIGHTINGALE

A Japanese nightingale owned by a resident of Osaka has been sold. It is reported to have been sold for Y10,000. The bird, which is famous among the fancy, is named "Hagoromo," or "cloak of feathers."

TWO SHIPS, BUT ONLY ONE WHARF

Compromise Finally Effected

DIFFICULTY AT DARWIN

An unusual problem arose at Darwin Jetty when the Western Australian motor-ship Koolinda arrived in port. The Shell Co.'s tanker Volsella was already berthed at the jetty, discharging petrol and kerosene in cases and drums. The Koolinda wished to berth at the jetty, discharge her cargo, and leave again at 8 p.m. the same day, for Wyndham and Broome. It was necessary for the Koolinda to leave, or otherwise she would not be able to catch the tides at Wyndham and Broome to berth at those ports.

The master of the Volsella would not move his vessel, and continued to discharge cargo, because to move from the berth would mean extra wages in overtime for wharf-labourers during the week-end. Conferences were arranged, and eventually the masters reached an agreement, and the Volsella stopped work and moved to the end of the jetty. The Koolinda moved in and took her place, work commencing immediately.

By this time it was 2.30 p.m., the Koolinda having remained in the harbour since 8 a.m. Mails and passengers had been taken off in the ship's boats.

WIDOW VANISHES IN MID-OCEAN

Mystery On Liner In Mid-Atlantic

NO MESSAGE OR CLUE FOUND

With no clue but the open port-hole of her cabin to suggest her fate, an attractive young French governess, Mme. Marguerite Pauli, vanished in mid-Atlantic from the Cunard-White Star liner Berengaria.

Mme. Pauli, a 34-years-old widow, smart and well-educated, spoke English, French, and German fluently.

When she boarded the Berengaria she was accompanied by two women friends who saw her off. She was carrying a large bunch of flowers in her arms and seemed exceedingly happy.

No Message
It is understood that she had been in the employ of an American family and was returning home to see her mother in France.

Mme. Pauli entered thoroughly into the ship's social activities throughout the day of the tragedy, and after dinner she retired to her cabin.

That was the last seen or heard of her.

The next morning she had vanished. Officials who forced her cabin door found no message.

THREE CHINESE IN PIRATES' HANDS

Exorbitant Ransom Demands

RELATIVES WILL TAKE NO FURTHER ACTION

Hops for the release of three kidnapped Chinese in the hands of pirates through the payment of ransom money has been definitely abandoned by the captives' relatives.

The three Chinese were kidnapped on board the s.s. Kaho by pirates some time ago. Negotiations for their release were conducted with the representatives of the pirates three times, but because of the pirates' exorbitant demands for ransom money, the negotiations all ended in failure.

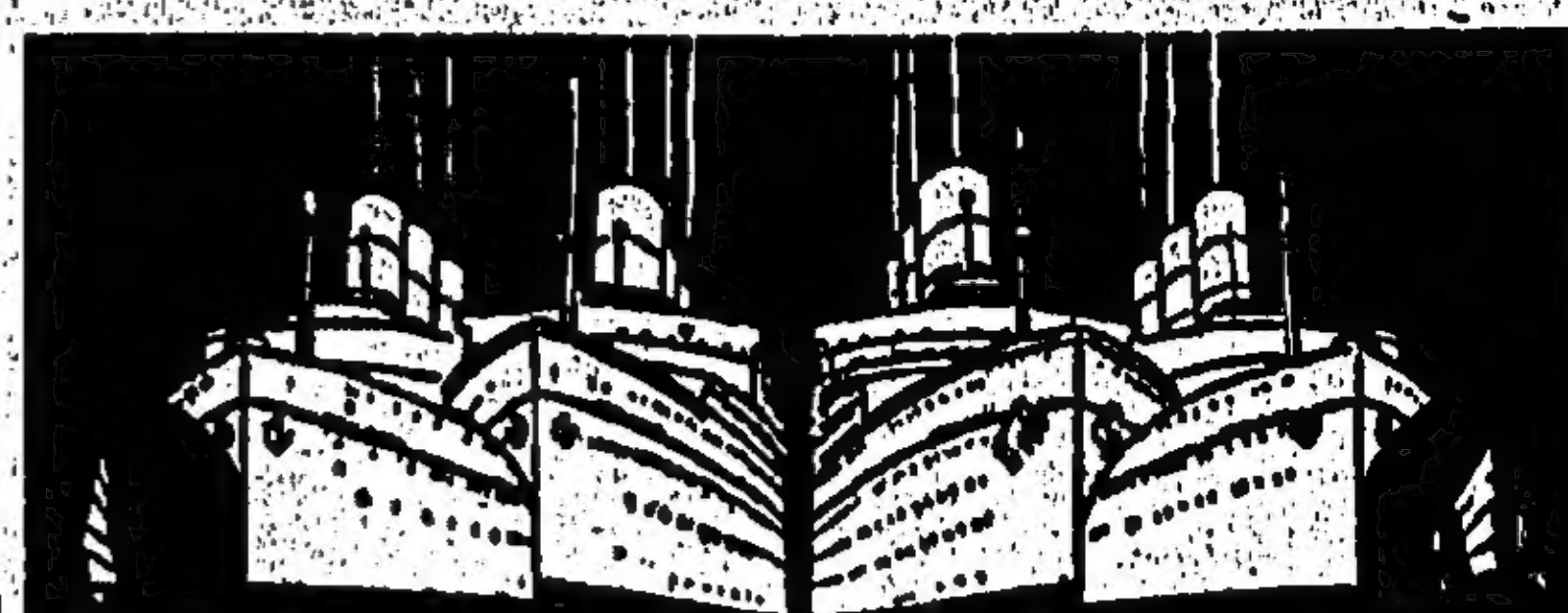
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NALDERA	10,000	18th May	DO
*BURDWAN	6,000	25th May	Marseilles, Havre, London, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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RAJPUTANA	17,000	15th June	DO
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SIRDHANA	8,000	4th Apr.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka.
BURDWAN	6,000	17th Apr.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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TRAFFIC CASE

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Glanville has played a part in the
break up of what the police claim
to be an international opium
gang. Several arrests, including
that of a woman, have been made
and more are expected.

Capt. Glanville was travelling
by night from Dieppe to Paris.
At three o'clock in the morning
the communication cord of the
train was pulled, and officials
found him covering with a revolver
a man whose acquaintance
he had made on the journey.

He said he had found the man,
who had given himself out to be
an Australian practising book-
making in London, rifling his
suitcase.

Police inquiries led them to a
pretty villa hidden behind trees
—the Maison Rouge, at Cor-
meilles, near Paris. They be-
came satisfied that the tenants of
this residence, who frequently
made international journeys,
were concerned in the drug traf-
fic, and they arrested a man
named MacCord and a woman,
Mary Pearson, a Canadian, who
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The arrest of Clarence Frechette (right) at Nevada City, Calif., resulted
in the discovery of the body of Robert Brown of Kalamazoo, Mich., in the
trunk of a car. Riding with Frechette as "hitch-hikers" were Mrs. Victor
Messenger and her four-year-old son who were unaware of the grisly contents
of the trunk. Mrs. Messenger fainted when the police informed her of their
find. Frechette is said to have confessed to the killing of Brown in Kala-
mazoo.

WAH TAI COLLEGE ATHLETICS

(Continued From Page 4)

The results were:
100 Metres Senior Championship:—
1. Hang Hok-shan, 2. Leung Sat-sang,
3. Sin Tat-wing. Time: 12.1/5 secs.
100 Metres Junior Championship:—
1. Yu Pui-tak, 2. Au Chi-keung. Time:
13 secs.

100 Metres Small Boys:—1. Wong
Chok-ping, 2. Lam King-sha, 3. Au
Chi-keung. Time: 15.3/10 secs.
400 Metres Senior Championship:—
1. Leung Sat-sang, 2. Shing Yat-choi,
3. Ch' Shiu-yet. Time: 1 min. 1 sec.
Senior Long Jump Championship:—
1. Hang Hok-shan, 2. So Kan-chin, 3.
Wong Chok-man. Distance: 18 feet,
4 ins. (Record).

Junior Long Jump Championship:—
1. Au Chi-keung, 2. Yu Pui-tak, 3. Chan
Shang-in. Distance: 17 feet, 8 1/2 ins.
Shot Put (12 pounds):—1. Chan San-
kau, 2. Hang Hock-shan, 3. Ng Kwai-
ping. Distance: 31 feet, 3 1/2 ins.
(Record).

800 Metres Open Championship:—1.
Leung Fook-ye, 2. Shing Yat-choi,
3. Sin Tat-wing. Time: 27.4/5 secs.
100 Metres Boarders Race:—1. Wong
Ying-pak, 2. So Man-king, 3. Chan
Ger-ai. Time: 13.4/5 secs.
3,000 Metres Bicycle Race:—1. Mak
Wai-ming, 2. Lui Yu-chun. Time: 9
mins. 57.5/5 secs.

200 Metres Senior Championship:—
1. Hang Hok-shan, 2. Leung Sat-sang,
3. Shing Yat-choi. Time: 25.6/10 secs.
200 Metres Junior Championship:—
1. Yu Pui-tak, 2. Au Chi-keung, 3. Ko
Ka-wo. Time: 27.5/10 secs.
Senior High Jump Championship:—
1. So Kan-chin, 2. Hang Hock-shan, 3.
Leung Sat-sang. Height: 5 feet, 2 ins.
(Record).

Junior High Jump Championship:—
1. Au Chi-keung, 2. Chan Shang-in, 3.
Yu Pui-tak. Height: 4 feet, 9 ins.
1,500 Metres Open Championship:—
1. Prithi Pall, 2. Mak Wai-ming. Time:
5 mins. 23.6/10 secs.
100 Metres Committee Race:—1.
Wong Ying-pak, 2. So Man-king.
Time: 13.5/10 secs.

100 Metres Invitation to S.C.A.A.:—
1. Yuen Chow-kuen, 2. Leo Poon-ye,
3. Chan Shiu-yet. Time: 11.6/10 secs.
110 Metres Low Hurdles Open Cham-
pionship:—1. Hang Hock-shan, 2.
Leung Sat-sang, 3. Wong Chok-man.
Time: 18.3/5 secs.

Obstacle Race:—1. Mak Wai-ming, 2.
Lui Chak-chuen, 3. Sin Tat-choi.
400 Metres Invitation School Relay:—
1. Wah Yan College, 2. St. Joseph's
College. Time: 49 secs.

400 Metres Inter-Class Relay:—1.
Class 1, 2. Class 3. Time: 54.1/5 secs.
Consolation Races:—1. Sin Tat-wing,
2. Ch' Shiu-yet.

800 Metres Open to the Colony:—
1. Wil Gottsche, 2. Eddie Silva. Time:
2 mins. 23 secs.

LEE TIN SANG SUSPENDED AND A. V. GOSANO SEVERELY CENSURED

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Gosano has never come before the
Emergency Committee before, this
being his first offence, if his action can
be called such.
At the first inquiry, the circum-
stances surrounding the incident were
referred to be in a threatening posi-
tion and facing Fung King-cheng.

Although Gosano did not strike Fung
King-cheng, his action was such as to
suggest that he was about to do so,
and the referee acted in accordance
with his instructions.
Lee Tin-sang was concerned in an
incident with B. Gosano during an
Association attack on the Chinese
citadel, when he was seen deliberately
striking Gosano.
The referee's report was clear and
concise and the Committee had no other
alternative but to order one month's
suspension, with effect from midnight
on March 15 until midnight on April
14.

PHILIPPINES AND FORMOSA TO CLASH IN AQUATIC MEET

(Continued From Page 5)

The Formosa team, according to
advance information, will be com-
posed of 13 men and one coach.
The P.I.-Formosa dual swimming
meet started in 1929. The first
meet was held in Manila and was
won by the Philippines. In 1931,
the Philippines again won the meet
held at Taihoku. In 1933 the For-
mosans came to Manila and scored
their first victory in the biennial
meet.

The following is the tentative pro-
gramme of events arranged by the
P.A.A.F. for the meeting in August:

MEN
1st day—100-meter free style; 400-
meter back stroke; 100-meter breast
stroke; 800-meter relay.
2nd day—400-meter free style; 200-
meter back stroke; 200-meter breast
stroke; 400-meter relay.
3rd day—1500-meter free style; 100-
meter back stroke; 400-meter breast
stroke; 300-meter medley relay.

WOMEN
1st day—100-meter free style, trials;
400-meter free style, final.
2nd day—100-meter free style, final;
200-meter breast stroke, trials; 100-
meter back stroke, final; 200-meter
breast stroke, final; 400-meter relay,
final.

TENNIS LEAGUE IN UNITED STATES

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At the present time O'Brien
ranks Tilden, Lott, Vines, Stiefen,
Nusslein, Cochet, Plaa and Richards
as the eight best professionals in
the world. If Fred Perry of Eng-
land turns professional as expected
next year, he will be included in
the class A group, and one player
dropped to the Class B ranks.
Each match will consist of two
singles and one doubles engagement
each day, according to present
plans.

POPULARIZING TENNIS

"I expect we'll lose money the
first year," said O'Brien, "but we
will pay the foundation for popu-
larizing tennis with the masses.
Already we have done much to
make the public tennis conscious
with the winter tour. The main
objection to tours of the kind we
are on now is that they don't mean
anything, whoever wins the match.
A league would give the players
more incentive for victory."

PLAYER'S SALARY LIMIT
O'Brien said the first year a
player's salary limit of \$200 a week
will be imposed, to keep some of
the club owners from making the
mistake the Federal baseball league
made when they started with wild
bidding for the best players.

That the country is ready for
professional tennis is proved by
the success of the winter tours the
past few years. This year's tour
already has drawn over \$30,000 in
New York Jan. 9. Last year Vines
and Tilden and two minor players
drew over \$200,000 from Jan. 10 to
May 9.

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SAINTS BEAT SUFFOLK IN MAMAK GAME

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Fincher's distribution was outstand-
ing, but his play was inclined to be
slow, causing him to outposition
himself several occasions.
For the opposing team, Phillips,
at left-back played a sound game,
breaking up most of the attempts
of the opposing forwards with
strong clearances. His partner,
Stacey, also played a sound game,
but was slow.

The halves played well together,
Smith, right-half and Campbell,
centre-half combining brilliantly.
The former player was conspicu-
ous for his reverse stick work.
In the forward line O'Neill, right-
wing, Fullmar, inside-right, and
Holmes, inside-left, all played
well.

It was not until 15 minutes that
the Suffolk scored their first goal
through Kirk. The Saints equalised
shortly afterwards through Car-
roll, and Fincher soon placed them
in the lead.
Kirk made the score 2-1, but
just before the interval Billas not-
ed with a hard drive from the
circle's edge after a spectacular
solo run.

H.M.S. Suffolk: Woolley, Stacey
and Phillips; Smith, Campbell and
Whitney; O'Neill, Fullmar, Kirk,
Holmes, and Hobart.
Suffolk: Andrew, Gupat, Broadbridge
and White; MacVicker, Hamson and
Belt; Bliss, Mackay, Fincher, College
and Carroll.

WEDNESDAY
Open Singles
Lee Wai Tong and E. L. Shute v.
E. C. Fincher and A. Crawford.
G. E. M. Rickards v. Y. W. Lee.
Open Doubles
W. C. Hung and Ho Kar Lau v. A.
V. Gosano and V. Remedios.
Handicap Singles
P. H. Scoones (—2/6) v. J. Barrow
(—4/8).
D. MacDougall (—15) v. H. T. Tol-
linton (—15).

THURSDAY
Open Singles
D. M. MacDougall and J. W. Leonard
v. Sai Wa Hong.
Open Doubles
H. D. and S. A. Rumjahn v. M. W.
and M. K. Lo or T. Kwok and Luk
Ding-cheung.
Handicap Singles
E. R. Price (—3/4) v. T. C.
Monaghan (—3/4).
M. N. Cootes (scr.) v. D. Robbe
(—16) or J. B. Collis (—15).

Mixed Handicap Doubles
W. M. Barton and Miss R. Hancock
(—15/8) v. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Paton
(—1/6).
Club Championship
H. J. Armstrong or T. J. Price v.
A. L. Sullivan.
Handicap Singles
E. L. Shute (—20) v. V. R. Gor-
don (—1/6).
A. C. I. Bowker (scr.) v. T. E. Pearce
(—4/8) or E. Bathurst (—2/6).

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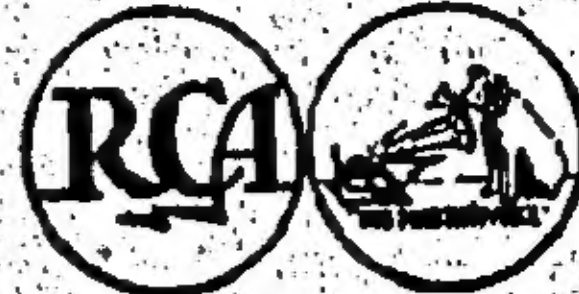
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NANKING'S VETO ON SOUTHERN ANTI RED DRIVE

(Continued from Page 1.)

Lieut.-General Wu Fei, liaison officer for the Second Route (Nanking) Army of the anti-Communist forces, stated on Thursday night that Tsunyi, so-called Communist capital in Northern Kweichow, was re-captured on March 12 by the Government forces under General Wu Chi-wei. Tsunyi had been in the hands of the Reds since February.

All the Communist units are attempting to mass in Western Kweichow and Eastern Hunan in preparation for another drive into Szechuen. Although Nanking planes are daily raining bombs on the Reds, the latter are taking cover in the mountains and are not suffering many casualties.

KWEICHOW FORCES REGAIN TSUNYI

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ing Sim-yang and Tam-mel has been broken. The bogus First and Fifth Armies have retreated to the western border of Kweichow, while the bogus Third and Ninth Armies are still rowing in the area of Li-chuen and Wu-yung-kong, east Kweichow.

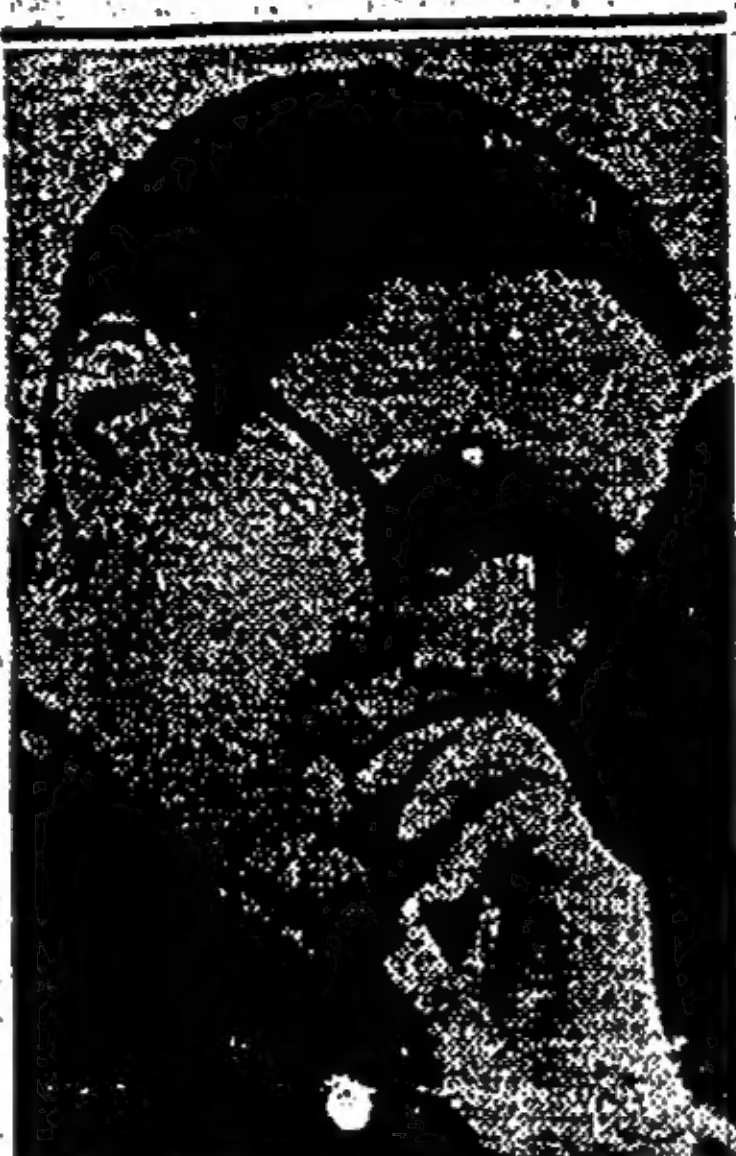
Latest reports state that the allied forces of Kweichow, Szechuen, and the Central Government have virtually formed an envelopment of the remnant outlaws in the east and those under generals Yiao Kwok-tsai, Chow Wan-yuen, Sun Tao of Yunnan, Pan Wen-hwa and Wang Ling-chie of Szechuen are now besieging the defeated marauders in the west.—Central Press.

POST AGAIN THWARTED

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A large quantity of metal filings and emery dust had been found in the engine of the Winnie Mae, veteran plane in which he made the abortive effort, which ended about 100 miles from the starting point, Captain Post declared.

On February 18 Captain Wiley Post sped five miles a minute



Jean Charles Millet, grandson of the famous artist who painted *The Gleaners*, shown as he faced the French court on a charge of faking pictures which were sold to gullible millionaires in America and Europe as newly found paintings by old masters.

STARTLING CRICKET

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George Headley (132) and Ben Sealey (60) continued their third wicket partnership of 143 in glorious weather and on a perfect wicket and added 59 before Sealey was beaten by one of Paine's spinners when 91. The partnership added 202 runs.

CONSTANTINE HITS OUT
Len Constantine, however, stepped into the breach, and, with orders to score fast, he rattled up 34 out of 58 before stepping in front of straight one from Paine. The tourists then secured two quick wickets for 29 runs.

Rolfe Grant, brother of the home skipper, however, dispelled all doubts of a collapse when he joined Headley in a big seventh wicket stand that resulted in the addition of 147 runs of which Grant claimed 77.

Having bettered the previous West Indian Test record aggregate of 471, scored at Georgetown in 1930, George Grant applied the closure at 555 for 7, giving the tourists little over an hour's play before stumps were drawn.

BRILLIANT HEADLEY
Headley played brilliant cricket for his 270 not out, which bettered his own West Indian Test score record of 223, scored on the same ground in the 1930 series. Andy Sandham's 325 in the home game stands as the English record.

Hitting 30 boundaries in a stay of 493 minutes, Headley scored all round the wicket with effortless ease, displaying a refreshing variety of strokes. He registered 176, at Barbados in 1930, in his first Test against England.

The tourists commenced disastrously, losing Wyatt in the first over as the result of an injury, and never recovered against the "shock" attack of Martindale and Constantine.

through the air some five miles above the ground in a final test of his aeroplane, Winnie Mae, before attempting the proposed stratosphere flight across the continent.

CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY

Work Of Construction Proceeding

Canton, To-day.
The joint conference of the Canton-Shiukwan, Chuchow-Shiukwan, and Hupei-Hunan sections of the Canton-Hankow began at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at the Huangsha office.

The conference will last for four days. A preparatory meeting was held yesterday and business meetings will begin from to-day.

According to the South Section Administration of the Railway, the section from Lokchang and Lochatu has been completed. Actual service will probably be started early next month. The work of construction of other sections, such as those from Lochatu to Shiutowtung, from Shiutowtung to Kungpingshu, from Kungpingshu to Kwooninchiu, and from Kwooninchiu to Chuchow, is now fast proceeding. It is expected to be completed very soon.—Central Press.

DARING HIGHWAY ROBBERY

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Nearing the South Gate of the Walled City, he was tackled round the legs by a Chinese male who took him unawares from behind, and, before he could shout for help, three others armed with short hammers bent him to insensibility.

He regained consciousness to discover that the men had made off with his canvas waist supporter which contained \$44 in notes and cash.

THEFTS REPORTED ON TILAWA

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Mr. W. G. Amy, Chief Officer of the s.s. Tilawa, reports that between 1.30 and 2.30 p.m. yesterday, someone entered his cabin with a duplicate key and removed a watch, valued at \$20, and \$70 in Singapore currency from his cabin drawer.

Mr. Taylor, the wireless operator, reports that someone entered his cabin the same way and removed 12 Indian rupees, valued at \$8.50, while Mr. West, the Second Officer, was similarly robbed of \$20 in Hong Kong currency and an English 6-shilling piece.

U.S. ADMIRAL TO PAY VISIT TO CANTON

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American consular officials and leading members of the American community are busy making preparations to welcome the Admiral who will visit Canton for the first time prior to relinquishing the Far Eastern Command.

A reception will be held at the American consulate-general in Shamen on Tuesday.

The forthcoming marriage is announced of Mr. Nicolas Poutama, merchant, of House No. 66, No. 1622, Building Well Road, Shanghai, and Miss Marion Galehouse Kennedy, teacher, of the same address.

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